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## Housing Crisis of WT Students

**Citizens Are Asked Open Homes to Take Care of Veterans Coming to College**

West Texas State College appealed to citizens this week to give temporary housing to a number of veterans, some of them married, whose quarters in trailer houses are not yet ready for occupancy.

More than 40 trailer houses obtained through the Federal Housing Administration in Amarillo and Borger are being readied for exclusive use of veterans. Moving of many of these units was delayed by the January snow storm.

Veterans were conspicuously numerous in enrollment for the spring semester, starting January 29. Demands for housing will greatly exceed the supply.

An extensive dormitory building program will get under way in a few days when workmen begin completing the addition to Randall Hall. This new unit, halted by the war, will house more than one hundred girls and include a new dining hall. C. S. Lambie of Amarillo is the contractor. A new dormitory for girls and additions to Stafford and Terrill Halls, boarding places for men, will be started as soon as bonds authorized by the Board of Regents can be issued.

Additional faculty members have returned from military service. These include, Dr. C. W. Freed, head of the Speech Department, a major; Prof. D. T. Swineford of the art department, a captain; and Prof. Holmes Smith of the Department of Industrial Arts, a captain.

## New Well for the Cemetery Finance Public Donations

Collections are being made from citizens to drill and equip a new well at Dreamland Cemetery. Names of contributors will be published in The News starting next week.

The Cemetery Association laid the matter before the Commissioners Court Monday. The Court donated \$100 to start the fund. Ten county officials donated \$10 each, making \$200 from the court house to start the fund.

Mrs. E. D. Harrell states that the new well and equipment will cost approximately \$1,000. This would be for a six inch well. Some citizens wish to put down a larger well, but it is believed that the water supply in that vicinity is not sufficient to justify a larger well. Also a large well and equipment would run into thousands of dollars.

Citizens who wish to make donations are asked to leave checks with Mrs. C. R. Flesher, treasurer of the association at T. A. Black's, at the First National Bank, or at The News office. It is hoped that the money may be raised quickly.

## Kids Are Hauled Into Court, and Parents Warned

A number of local boys, together with their parents, were in juvenile court Wednesday. Complaints have been made by merchants that the boys were raiding stocks of merchandise, and that a large amount of goods have been lost.

Sheriff M. E. Cantrell has been on the trail of the boys suspected, and notified all of them to be in court, and to bring their parents. The group was given a lecture and told that their practices must stop.

So far no loot has been recovered, but officers hope that this will put an end to the complaints. The boys are under threat of sentences in the reform school unless their future actions are improved.

## Wayside Road Is Held Up by Lack of Right-of-way

Contractors on the new farm-to-market road to Wayside are ready to start, but work is being delayed by the slowness in securing right-of-way and moving the fences back.

The county engineer has advised that all land owners along this road begin at once to move back their fences. Those who have not given a deed to the additional and required for the right-of-way should do so in order that work may start.

Several non-resident land owners have not responded to the call for deeds to the additional land. It is hoped that condemnation proceedings will not be required in order to get the road under construction.

Mrs. H. B. Hales returned last week from Clinton, Kentucky where she was called recently by the death of her mother, Mrs. Lucy Hewitt, who had been in ill health for some time. Mrs. Hewitt had visited her daughter here several times in past years.

## Hill Announces For Re-election



D. S. HILL

D. S. Hill has authorized The News to announce his candidacy for re-election to the office of County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3. His statement reads:

"I am now serving as County Commissioner from this precinct. I have been a resident of Randall county for 30 years. With my experience in this office, and long residence in Randall county my friends believe that I should continue in this office in order to render service to the taxpayers.

"I have always taken a great interest in the welfare of Randall county. I sincerely thank the voters of my precinct for the opportunity they have afforded me in serving them as Commissioner. If I am re-elected they know the kind of service that I shall continue to render them.

"I have tried to give every citizen of Randall county a fair and square deal. County government is a mutual affair and I am happy to have worked with the view of representing each citizen to the best of my ability.

"A new farm-to-market road has been authorized in this precinct. I hope that this will be just the beginning of road improvements which shall reach more farmers.

"I shall attempt to see each voter in my precinct between now and election. If I miss any of you it will be entirely unintentional. I wish to assure each of you that I shall greatly appreciate your support during the campaign and vote in the coming July primary," stated Mr. Hill.

## Funeral of W. A. McCarter Held Monday p. m.

William Andrew McCarter, 52 years old and for 15 years a resident of Canyon, died Saturday night at his home.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon in the home.

The pastor of the Assembly of God Church at Mountain Air, New Mexico conducted the services.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Mrs. George Huskey, Miss Estelle McCarter and Mrs. Albert Brown, all of Canyon; six sons, Eldon, Billy Joe, Roy, Ray, Carrol Lee and Sherman, all of Canyon; two brothers, J. L. McCarter of Bowie, and K. B. McCarter of Tennessee; and two sisters, Mrs. Martha Scarber of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Mary Reid of Houston.

Burial was made in Dreamland Cemetery under the direction of Griggs-Warren Funeral Home.

## Stevenson Remodels Automobile Building on Fourth Avenue

T. S. Stevenson is remodeling his building at the corner of Fourth Avenue and 17th Street which was formerly occupied by the Cope Paint & Body Shop.

J. B. Hickman has leased the building and will open a Hudson and Willys automobile agency as soon as the building is completed.

## Division Made of Road and Bridge Fund of County

At a special meeting of the Commissioners Court Monday a division was made of the Road and Bridge Fund for 1946. This fund is derived from the sale of automobile licenses and a small amount from the ad valorem tax.

Precincts will receive the following amounts of the fund: Precincts Nos. 1 and 4, 30% each; Precincts 2 and 3, 20% each.

The division was based upon the amount of travel on the roads. School buses and milk trucks travel the roads of both Precincts 1 and 4 in greater numbers than the other precincts. No. 3 will be relieved somewhat by the new farm-to-market road which the state is building.

## March of Dimes Ends Thursday

**Buffalo Band Will Have a Program for Benefit; Good Response in Collections**

The March of Dimes will come to an end Thursday night.

Rev. Joseph Findley states that the response has been very satisfactory in the collection jars which have been placed around Canyon.

Several clubs have made substantial contributions to the March of Dimes. Mr. Findley requests that all clubs that wish to make donations should see him at once.

The final drive comes Thursday night when the West Texas State Band will play a concert at the College auditorium. Admission is free, but a free-will offering will be taken which goes to the March of Dimes. Citizens of Canyon are cordially invited to this concert.

## Discharged

John Pyon Morris, A. M. M. 2-c was discharged January 18 after having served in the Navy for 3 years, 4 1/2 months. His overseas service was in the Asiatic-Pacific area.

Cpl. Ceile S. Hall served for 3 1/2 years with the infantry before being discharged January 19. He served for 10 months in the European Theater.

Jesse Glenn Campbell, M. M. M. 3-c was discharged January 18 after having served more than 1 1/2 years. He saw service in the Asiatic-Pacific and Philippine Liberation.

Charles Harvey Blanks, W. T. 3-c, served in the Asiatic-Pacific during his nearly 2 years in the Navy. He was discharged January 17.

I. B. Dodson, S. M. 3-c served nearly 2 years in the Navy with sea duty in the Asiatic-Pacific before receiving his discharge January 18.

Pfc. J. A. Fox was discharged January 18 after serving more than 3 years in the Ordnance Department of the Army.

Pvt. William Edgar Robinson was discharged January 23 after serving 6 months in the Army Air Corps.

T-4 Melvin E. Leavitt was discharged December 6. He served 3 years with the 1455th Engineering Service Co. with 6 months in the European Theater.

Pfc. Elmer Friemel received his discharge January 12 after having served more than 3 years with the Air Corps. He served more than 1 1/2 years overseas.

Preston Da Prichard, E. M. 3-c, was discharged January 14 at Shoshone, Calif., after having served for more than 2 years with the Navy. His overseas duty was in the Asiatic-Pacific area.

T-4 Charles Robert Buell was discharged from the Army January 20. He had been in the service nearly 3 years, serving for 8 months in Europe.

T-5 Vaughn Vandergriff served with the Ordnance Department for nearly 3 years before being discharged January 13. He spent nearly 1 1/2 years in Europe.

T-5 Kenneth M. Bosley was discharged January 26 after having served 32 months in the Army. He spent 27 months in the Asiatic-Pacific Theater.

Pfc. Ray T. Nickelson was discharged January 13 after having served 30 months with the infantry. He spent more than 10 months in the European African Middle Eastern area.

Pfc. Eldon R. Garrison was discharged from the infantry on January 17. He spent 15 months in Europe.

Pfc. Prentiss McKee was discharged January 20 after having served for 20 months in the Army. He spent 12 1/2 months overseas in the Asiatic-Pacific Area.

## Capt. H. Prichard Jr. Is Promoted

Captain Hud Prichard, Jr., who is stationed at Winston-Salem, N. C., with the Headquarters Division of the 8th Air Corps, has just recently been promoted to that rank.

Capt. and Mrs. Prichard are making their home in North Carolina. He served with the 15th Air Corps in Italy.

## Red Cross To Hold Election of Officers February 7

A Red Cross meeting is called for Friday evening, February 7 at 7:30 o'clock at the City Hall for the purpose of electing officers for 1946. Other business that may come before the meeting will be considered.

Preparation will be made for the 1946 Red Cross drive.

All members are urged to attend. Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper and baby of McLean visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Cooper last week.

## Thompson in Race County Attorney



JOE THOMPSON

The News has been authorized to announce the candidacy of Joe Thompson for the office of County Attorney of Randall county, subject to the July primary. His statement follows:

"I am serving out the unexpired term of the late C. R. Flesher. I appreciate the faith that was expressed in me by the Commissioners Court in selecting me as your County Attorney.

"I am asking that you elect me to my first full term, and if my short record in office meets with your approval, I assure you that I will devote my time and ability to making you the very best county official, and will render to all the taxpayers of Randall county the best service within my powers.

"I am highly appreciative of the fine co-operation that I have received from all of the officers of the county, as well as the people generally. If I am elected, I shall continue to give full service to all county and state officials in the proper enforcement of the law," stated Mr. Thompson.

## Buffaloes Will Play Tech Here Saturday Night

J. W. Malone of Stratford, West Texas State All American guard, pulled into the position of leading scorer for the West Texas State Buffaloes in games played at the University of New Mexico last week. Malone has scored 183 points in thirteen games compared to 181 for Hank Decker, 6 foot 6 inch center from Richmond, Ind. Borden Price of Olton, the other guard, is in third place with 125 points.

The Buffaloes split their two games series with the Lobos, losing their first game by a score of 36 to 40 and winning their second by a score of 47 to 34.

The locals will be idle in athletics over the examination period and registration for the spring semester. Their next home game will be played February 2 when Texas Tech Red Raiders come here for an important Border Conference contest. Coach Gus Miller's boys defeated Texas Tech at Lubbock on January 8, 48 to 43.

Most of the remaining games to be played will be with Texas Tech and Hardin-Simmons University, the other Border Conference members in this section. Two of these three teams—winners in this district—will go to the Border Conference Championship Tournament in Albuquerque on March 1 and 2.

## Will Not Fill Place on the City Commission

The City Commission will make no appointment to fill the vacancy caused by the death of B. F. Oatis, member of the Commission.

Mayor W. A. Warren and Commissioner S. H. Condon stated yesterday that since the election for the City Commission comes the first part of April they did not deem it advisable to appoint a man for the position who would serve only 60 days. The two members will carry on the work of the city until the people select members of the commission.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Kenneth P. Walters to Essie Mae Leaverton, January 24.  
Roy O. Grisham to Arline E. Gilbert, January 28.

## CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

The Dreamland Cemetery Association will meet Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Thompson Club room.

Masonic services were held at Dreamland Cemetery. Active pall bearers were: Dan Sanders, Dr. J. B. Speer, K. E. Frieze, A. W. Sternberg, C. A. Murray and J. W. Shook, all stewards in the Methodist Church. Other officials of the church were honorary pall bearers.

Funeral arrangements were under the direction of Griggs-Warren Funeral Home.

## Thanks Given on Clothing Drive

**Thursday is the Last Day; Shipment of Clothing Will Be Made Friday**

"Thanks for the fine response to the clothing drive," stated J. W. Shook Tuesday. "The people have responded generously to the drive."

The collection closes Thursday night.

No additional clothing will be accepted after Thursday, and shipment will be made Friday morning in order that the clothing may reach its destination before the end of the winter.

All kinds of clothing was received in the drive. The bad roads following the snow storm slowed up the collection of clothing in the country districts. Mr. Shook made several trips during the past week to gather clothing which had been collected in communities.

## Dr. Harris Cook Still in a Critical Condition

Dr. Harris M. Cook is in an Amarillo hospital in a critical condition.

He suffered a hemorrhage of the brain Wednesday afternoon which left his right side paralyzed.

According to physicians he has rallied during the past few days and regained consciousness.

Dr. Cook is Dean of Men of West Texas State and member of the Education Department. He was Governor of Rotary International last year.

## Two Deaths in the Family of Mrs. Roland Black

Mrs. Roland Black has been in Dallas for several weeks on account of illness in her family. Roland was called to the bedside of her father last week.

The grandmother of Mrs. Black died on Sunday, and her father, Chas. Grissin, died Monday morning.

Mr. Black will return home in a few days, and Mrs. Black will come as soon as it is possible for her to leave her mother.

## B. F. Oatis Died Sunday; Member City Commission



BENTON FRED OATIS

Benton Fred Oatis, 78-year-old Canyon civic leader, died Sunday morning at 3:45 o'clock in an Amarillo hospital where he had been ill for several weeks.

Mr. Oatis born in Dalton, Ga., had been a resident of Canyon for many years. He has served in several official positions in the city for a goodly number of years. At the time of his death he was a member of the city commission.

In early childhood he was converted and became a member of the Methodist church. He has served as an official in that church for more than half a century.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church Monday afternoon with Rev. Hubert Thomson, pastor, assisted by Rev. R. W. Jones, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, officiating.

He is survived by his wife; five daughters, Misses Fay and Elaine Amelia Oatis of Canyon; Mrs. Earl Braudt of Amarillo; Mrs. Byron Durham of Tucumcari, N. M.; Mrs. Gordon Chee of Los Angeles, Calif.; and three sons, Thomas Benton Oatis of Dumas; Lt. Col. Edmond Oatis of the U. S. Army and Joe Oatis of Tucson, Arizona.

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## OPA Has Made No Move on Milk Price

Will milk producers start their strike February 1; or will OPA in Washington advance the price which is demanded by the producers?

Up to Wednesday afternoon OPA in Washington remained silent. OPA in Dallas approved the advanced price, and urged its acceptance by Washington.

Congressman Eugene Worley in Washington has been insistent that OPA take action. So far there is only silence.

The temporary increase of 26 cents will expire on February 1. The milk producers state that unless their original demands are met that they will refuse to make further deliveries to Amarillo.

Maybe OPA in Washington will act before the deadline. Maybe they will continue to ignore the demands of the distressed dairymen, and allow the strike to begin. Maybe they figure that not all of the dairymen will participate, and thus the strike will prove ineffective.

Something may develop Thursday.

## L. S. Johnston In Announcement



L. S. (Slim) JOHNSTON

L. S. (Slim) Johnston authorized The News last week to announce that he was a candidate for County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1. His announcement states:

"I have been a stock-farmer in Randall county for the past 18 years, living in the south part of the county. For the past 3 1/2 years I have lived in Canyon, but maintain my interest in the stock-farming business. I am building a new home at 25th Street and Seventh Avenue.

"This is my first announcement for public office. I have always been greatly interested in public affairs, and have taken an active interest in the political welfare of the county. I believe that I am well prepared to do the duties of the office, and if I am elected as your County Commissioner, I will give the office my full attention. I am well acquainted with the road problems of the precinct, as well as other problems which confront the Commissioners Court.

"I ask that all voters take my qualifications into consideration and carefully investigate my record as a citizen of this community and of Randall county. If I am elected, I shall stand for economy and a fair and square deal for every citizen of the precinct and the county.

"I shall attempt to see every voter of the precinct during the campaign, but if I should accidentally miss any of you, it will be entirely unintentional. I ask that you accept this message as a personal invitation for your support during the campaign and your vote in the July primary," concluded Mr. Johnston.

## Taylor & Sons Have Bought the Palace Cafe

Again the Palace Cafe has changed ownership.

Taylor and Sons bought the cafe from Frank and Winnie Hicks and took over management on Monday of this week.

Raymond Doss, recently discharged from the Army, is the manager. He has had experience in cafe business, having operated the Cafe adjoining Taylor and Sons Country Store before he entered the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Hicks have announced no plans for the immediate future.

E. I. Boyce, Jr., who is employed with the Greyhound Bus Company in Amarillo, visited early this week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Boyce, to visit his brother, Royce Edward, who is home on leave.

Vincent Lockhart, publisher of the Canadian Record, was here Sunday. He brought his mother, Mrs. W. E. Lockhart, home from Canadian where she had spent a week visiting in her son's home.

Landon Terry is expected home in a few days with his discharge from the navy. He has been a radio technician for 18 months.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley V. Simmons of Kansas City, Mo., are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hart.

Little David Jones of Amarillo spent the week end with his cousin, Shannon Downing.

Clyde Johnson from Orchard, Iowa is visiting this week with his aunt, Mrs. Clyde McElroy.

## Two Star Buffs Join the Team

**Returning Service Men Are Available to Help Buffaloes in Conference Campaign**

Back from the war in the Pacific, two former Buffalo lettermen have joined the West Texas State basketball squad to contribute their assistance in the rest of the current campaign.

They are Bill Stockman, who was voted the most valuable player in 1942, and Ledru Jacobs, a rugged forward who had a good season in 1942 after being a main cog in the freshman team which won the Amarillo City League title in 1941.

Stockman, a guard, is from Malta Bend, Mo. He is a brother of Frank Stockman, formerly one of the all-time greats of West Texas State basketball. Jacobs came to West Texas State from Spearman. Stockman's height of 6 feet 3 inches and Jacobs' 6 feet and 4 inches are moving the Buffs' average up sharply. Neither man is conditioned for basketball at present, but Coach Gus Miller will alternate them at forward positions as rapidly as they recover their goal-shooting ability.

Another addition to the squad is Monk Ford of Canyon, who has just become eligible.

The Buffs played Eastern New Mexico College at Portales Wednesday, January 30. And little time remains for Coach Miller to revamp his lineup to meet Texas Tech in an important Border Conference game here February 2.

## Draft Boards Will Be Given Medals of Award Feb. 8

According to information received from Austin, 51 citizens of the Panhandle who served on Selective Service Boards for two or more years will be given medals of award at the Amarillo Hotel on Feb. 8 at 1:30 o'clock.

Selective Service Boards were appointed in October, 1940. Dr. R. P. Jarrett and W. J. Flesher have served since Selective Service was started. Clyde Warwick was a member of the original board and served until October, 1944. Roy N. Byrd was appointed upon the resignation of Warwick, and has served 16 months. J. D. Barker, appeals agent, has served since Selective Service was started, and will receive a medal of honor.

## Last Day Make Tax Payments Without Penalty

Citizens of Randall county will win by the payment of 1945 taxes Thursday, as the deadline will be reached Thursday night on tax payments before penalties are imposed.

M. E. Cantrell, tax collector, states that the demand for poll tax receipts has been large, which indicates the interest in the elections for 1946. He was unable to make an estimate of the number of poll tax receipts issued due to the fact that the county has a deputy collector in South Amarillo where citizens may go to pay their taxes.

## STORK SPECIAL

BORN ON JANUARY 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Phillips of Lubbock a boy, named Oscar Leroy. Mrs. Phillips will be remembered as Miss Shirley Breitting.

Born Thursday, January 24, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Penick and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Roberts spent last week at Hot Springs, N. M., with Leon Penick. Leon will go back to Fort Worth soon for additional work on his hand.

T. S. Stevenson, Happy McAtee, C. L. Joyner and Otto Samuelson attended a dealers' conference of the Chrysler Corporation in Oklahoma City last week. Stevenson, McAtee and Joyner returned home by plane.

Royce Edward Boyce, S 1-c, arrived Saturday morning from Treasure Island to spend a 30-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Boyce.



# Editorials

Under ordinary circumstances we would deplore a filibuster in Congress. But we heartily approve the filibuster on the so-called Fair Practice bill which is now being carried on. As a matter of fact there is nothing fair about the bill. It seems that the so-called social reformers are hell bent on making the people of the South employ the negroes on an equal basis as they employ whites. While we do not profess to know much about the negro, it certainly does not take much intelligence to prove that the negro, generally, is not the intelligent or social equal of the white. Why he is not just that is not our problem. But when the government of the United States seeks to make all employers hire help without regard to race or color, we say that the government is seeking to stick its nose into the business of its people where it has no right to interfere. The Fair Practice boys down at Dallas attempted to prohibit the Dallas News from carrying want ads for negro workers. These so-called social reformers ruled that the newspaper could not differentiate as to color when advertisements for help were printed. Fortunately the Dallas News has a mind of its own, and it told the reforming government snoopers just where to head in. But if this bill becomes a law, the employer will have no choice. When he wants help, he will advertise for help, and some government snooper will be standing at his door to see that he hires the first who come, black or white, regardless of the will of the employer. Such nonsense is what makes good citizens rebel against their government. And the President of the United States is sponsoring this piece of foolishness.

Lt. Col. Carl Phinney introduced a resolution at the convention of the 36th Division condemning General Mark Clark for the heavy loss in battle in Italy. The resolution carried, and was later backed by a similar resolution by the Texas Senate in its rump session. We have no idea as to the campaign, or whether lives were wasted. But we do know that the Italian campaign was the brainchild of Churchill, and was opposed by both the American and British military men. Churchill argued with President Roosevelt that it was essential to open the Mediterranean in order that the British life line could be shortened. Cleaning up the Nazis there would save thousands of miles for British and American ships. A British military man was in charge of the campaign, while General Clark was a subordinate officer. Maybe the campaign was a mistake. We are not in position to raise objections either way. But we have known Carl Phinney for a number of years, and certainly would not pin our chances for deliberate and judicious actions in time of military necessity upon his judgment. The proposed Congressional investigation is silly. So long as the people of the world are crazy enough to engage in war, men are going to be killed. If military men in battle must ask direction from Congress, or subordinate officers like Phinney, before they can take action, just when would we ever win a war?

We see where a misguided citizen of Amarillo sewed \$1500 in his overcoat and then lost the coat. Fortunately the money was recovered when the finder of the money started on a spending spree. What fools we mortals be—and just how much longer will we have this kind of fools with us. Every child knows—or should know—that every deposit in every bank in this nation up to \$5,000 is fully insured by the government. No depositor with \$5,000 or less could lose a single penny in any bank, regardless of the circumstances. And furthermore, every citizen knows that bank failures are a thing of the past, under the strict government supervision which insures the safety of the people's money. Carrying around big sums of money is the most foolhardy thing that we can think of. Yet we are told that some supposedly sane citizens of this Panhandle carry thousands of dollars and do their business in cash, rather than by check. Don't be silly in handling money; put it in the bank so that you will run no risk of loss.

Help Keep Canyon Clean!

## The Canyon News

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We would be much more enthusiastic over the campaign against infantile paralysis if the Foundation which is running the campaign were not so dictatorial in its operations. For instance, this Foundation, with headquarters in New York City, refused to recognize the treatment at Warm Springs until the late President Roosevelt sponsored the development of Warm Springs, and the March of Dimes went toward this worthy project. Furthermore, the Foundation has consistently refused to recognize the treatment given by Sister Kenney at her hospital in Minnesota. Our position is that infantile paralysis is too deadly and dangerous a disease to warrant the stubborn attitude of any group who say that their treatment is the only recognized cure, and that all others must be rejected. We hope that we are never called upon to combat this dreaded disease. But if we are ever afflicted we know darned well that we do not want to be attended by any doctor, or other so-called expert who has made up his mind in advance that there is only one treatment, regardless of how much better a record other types of treatments may have. It is not going to hurt anyone to show his interest in the suffering victims of this dreaded disease by making contributions, but we would be more cheerful about it, if those in authority were not so hard headed and closed minded.

When the war started old experienced economists advised President Roosevelt to freeze prices, both material and labor. The administration acted on materials and manufactured goods, but refused to put the clamp on wages. OPA has made a losing fight to hold prices in line. The nation had thousands of strikes for higher wages during the war, and now the nation is in the grip of the worst tie-up in the history of the nation. We predict that the administration will grant pay boosts throughout industry; that it will then be forced to grant price increases in order to offset these wage boosts; that labor will then come back for higher wages in order to meet the increase in retail prices. The vicious circle of wage and price boosts is on the way. It all adds up to inflation—and then a terrible crash in a few years. OPA is making a fight in one direction, while the administration is leading in another direction. The two are simply leading the nation up to a steep precipice, over which we will take a tumble. When the domestic demands are met, we are going to have very little foreign trade, because of our excessively high manufacturing costs. Russia will out-sell us on every world market. America was the sucker nation after World War I, and we are getting in position to be the world's greatest sucker under our short sighted policy and increasing prices with no regard to the future security of the nation.

The suckers are on the move to a cleaning. Stock gambling is the order of the day. Every trader knows that some day the bottom will fall out, but in his own mind he is the super-duper smart guy who will get out from under at the right time. But all of this trading is built on the old, old theory that there are always plenty of suckers to fleece. Unless you want to lose your shirt, and probably pants too, better stay off this gambling, and leave it up to the smart ones in New York, who know this high powered gambling game.

We see where the elite of the Hereford breed got the best hotel reservations. Those who have tried to secure hotel reservations perhaps wish that they were Hereford bulls.



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**NEW KIND OF FREEDOM**  
The United States supposedly fought a second world war to bring freedom to the world. But what has happened at home while men were killed abroad? A worker cannot get a job in a basic industry without first paying labor organizations for his constitutional right to work. A returned veteran of four years' standing—three years and two months overseas—writes a frank and interesting letter. His home is in Detroit. He is anxious to work and jobs could be had by the thousand if strike orders did not prevail. At such a time, while politicians wrangle about the passage of fantastic full employment bills, and the nation is begging for men to work, he writes:

"Never drew unemployment compensation before, but decided to now. I got my union card. Boy, what a racket that's turned into! One guy can't do a thing about it. The other dopes just sit around and let the officers pass anything they like. It's one big mess. To put it in a nutshell, it's the union that runs the men—not the men, the unions."

And this man fought for freedom for foreigners. Now he draws unemployment compensation in Detroit while he is forced to remain idle regardless of his desire to work.

The rump session of the Texas Senate marched up the hill, and then marched down again. The session was for the purpose of trying to put the Governor behind the political 8 ball. The Senator in charge of operations got hold of a list of 100 appointees of the Governor. 99 were confirmed; 1 was

rejected. Harry Crozier, one of the best known newspaper men in Texas was selected as the victim, simply because he was a good friend of the Governor. The big idea was that now the monkey is on the Governor's back. He must act, figured out the Senators, or have his appointee rejected. It may not be that easy. According to word from Austin the Comptroller and the Attorney General agree with the Governor that the session was illegal. The Senators voted 13 to 12 to meet again in September and again scan the list of appointees. The motivating theory was that by that time the Governor would go to the Supreme Court in order to justify his appointment of Crozier. But if the Attorney General renders a decision to the Comptroller that the session was illegal, and Crozier continues to receive his monthly pay it will then be up to the Senators to defend their session in the courts—and this they do not seem willing to do. Maybe political history was made at Austin, and again the session may have been just another flash in the pan. We shall see what we shall see.

Veterans are complaining that they are being by-passed in the procurement of war surpluses. We don't know just how valid this complaint is. But we do know that a returning veteran made application in October for apprentice training under the G. I. Bill, and not a darned thing has been done about the application in a three months' period. Just why all this delay? More government bureaucracy.

Remember the howl that went up

from Lt. Governor Smith and members of the legislature about the returning veterans voting this year. This group maintained that a special session of the legislature must be held in order to validate the constitutional amendment which was passed by the people last fall. Governor Stevenson maintained that the amendment was self-enacting, requiring no legislative action. The Attorney General has upheld the opinion of the Governor. Just where does this leave the so-called political leaders of the legislature?

Down at Austin the Democrats of Travis county voted to ask Senator Pepper of Florida to serve as part time Senator from Texas. While Senator Connally is in London working on United Nations business, Senator Pappy O'Daniel is busy in court trying to evict families from his newly purchased apartment house.

No wonder there has been so much back-stage play in the Pearl Harbor investigation. It is being disclosed that American firms not

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only provided iron and oil, but sold the Japs the ideas for their famous Zero plane. Dollar diplomacy has again proved very costly in lives and materials.

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# A Letter to the President of the United States

January 18, 1946

Hon. Harry S. Truman  
President of the United States  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. President:

Your proposal to me in Washington last evening that the wage demand of the United Steelworkers of America-CIO be settled on the basis of a wage increase of 18½ cents an hour, retroactive to January 1, 1946, cannot, I regret to say, be accepted by the United States Steel Corporation for the reasons set forth below.

As you must be aware, your proposal is almost equivalent to granting in full time the Union's revised demand of a wage increase of 19½ cents an hour, which was advanced by Philip Murray, the President of the Union, at our collective bargaining conference with the Union in New York a week ago today. In our opinion, there is no just basis from any point of view for a wage increase to our steel workers of the large size you have proposed, which, if put into effect, is certain to result in great financial harm not only to this Corporation but also to users of steel in general.

As I have tried to make clear to you and other Government officials during our conferences in Washington over the past few days, there is a limit in the extent to which the Union wage demands can be met by us. We reached that limit when we raised our offer to the Union last Friday from a wage increase of 12½ cents an hour to one of 15 cents an hour. This would constitute the highest single wage increase ever made by our steel-making subsidiaries. Our offer of 15 cents was equivalent to meeting 60% of the Union's original excessive demand of a \$2 a day general wage increase. Our offer met 75% of the Union's final proposal of a wage increase of 19½ cents an hour. A wage increase of 15 cents an hour, such as we offered, would increase the direct labor costs of our manufacturing subsidiaries by approximately \$60,000,000 a year. That is a most substantial sum, and does not take into account the higher costs we shall have to pay for purchased goods and services, when large wage increases generally become effective throughout American industry, as is inevitable after a substantial increase in steel wages.

As you know, collective bargaining negotiations with the Union broke down at the White House yesterday afternoon, because Mr. Murray then refused to budge from his position that a country-wide steel strike must take place, unless steel workers are granted a general wage increase of 19½ cents an hour. Our offer of a wage increase of 15 cents an hour was again rejected by the Union.

The Union threatened to go ahead with its program for a national steel strike at midnight next Sunday, although such a strike will be a clear violation of the no-strike provision contained in our labor contracts with the Union, which continue by their terms until October 15, 1946.

From the outset, we have recognized how injurious a steel strike will be to reconversion and to the economy of this whole country. Most industries are dependent upon a supply of steel for their continued operations. We have done everything reasonably within our power to avert such a strike. If a strike occurs, the responsibility rests with the Union.

When the Government at the eleventh hour informed us about a week ago of its willingness to sanction an increase in steel ceiling prices, we at once resumed collective bargaining negotiations with the Union. Such price action by the Government was a recognition by it of the right of the steel industry to receive price relief because of past heavy increases in costs, something which the steel industry for many months has unsuccessfully sought to establish with OPA.

I should like again to point out some pertinent facts relative to the wages of our steel workers.

Since January, 1941, the average straight-time hourly pay, without overtime, of our steel workers has increased more than the 33% increase in the cost of living during that period, recently computed by Government authorities. Steel workers' wages have kept pace with increased living costs. Such average straight-time pay in our steel-producing subsidiaries was \$1.14 an hour in each of the months of September, October and November 1945, excluding any overtime premium and any amount for correction of possible wage inequities. An increase of 15 cents, in accordance with our offer, would raise such average straight-time pay to \$1.29 an hour, placing such pay among the

highest today in all of American industry.

Under our offer of a 15 cent increase, the average weekly take-home pay of our steel workers for a forty-hour week would amount to \$51.60, assuming that no overtime is involved. This figure is only \$4.54 less than the actual average weekly earnings of these employees, including overtime, in the last full war year of 1944, when the average work week was 46.1 hours. The difference is really less, because we will undoubtedly continue to have overtime in the future, just as we have at the present time. In November, 1945, overtime premiums to our steel workers aggregated more than \$1,300,000. Such reduction of \$4.54 in weekly take-home pay is the natural consequence of a shorter work week of forty hours, and therefore one of lower production.

Much as we desire to avoid a steel strike, we cannot overlook the effect both on this Corporation and on our customers and American business in general, of the 18½ cent an hour wage increase, which you have proposed. Such a wage increase must result in higher prices for steel than have previously been proposed to us by the Government. Great financial harm would soon follow for all users of steel who would be obliged to pay higher prices for their steel, higher wages to their employees, and still have the prices for their own products subject to OPA control. Such a high and unjustified wage scale might well spell financial disaster for many of the smaller steel companies and for a large number of steel fabricators and processors. The nation needs the output of these companies. Increased wages and increased prices which force companies out of business can only result in irreparable damage to the American people.

In our judgment, it is distinctly in the public interest to take into account the injurious effect upon American industry of an unjustified wage increase in the steel industry.

After a full and careful consideration of your proposal, we have reached the conclusion above stated.

Respectfully yours,

BENJAMIN F. FAIRLESS,

President, United States Steel Corporation

# United States Steel Corporation



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"It's a married man's cash surrender value, dear."

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### Clay Pigeon Is Modern Marvel

#### Target Trapshooters Use Is Development of Boys' Shell Skipping.

CHICAGO.—Sixty-five years ago Coney Island, New York's famous ocean-front playground, witnessed the first flight of one of the smallest devices man has ever developed to sail through the air.

That was 23 years before the Wright brothers made their first experiment at Kitty Hawk.

Even though this device is more fragile than an egg and is one of the most brittle things that can be made, its principal ingredient is limestone, basic raw material of cement.

Regarded as a kind of airplane wing which attains speeds up to 60 miles an hour, it revolves at the rate of 5,000 revolutions a minute. This speed sets up centrifugal force so great that when it is struck, it frequently flies off in all directions, disintegrating in a cloud of black dust.

This hard-to-believe object is the clay pigeon, the target at which skeet and trap shooters have been popping away with shotguns since 1880.

George Ligowsky, its inventor, got the idea for his saucer-shaped target by watching boys skip shells over the water. Ligowsky called his trap targets clay pigeons.

Forerunner of all inanimate trap targets, was the glass ball made in various colors and sizes. Most of the balls were merely empty spheres.

#### Glass Balls a Nuisance.

Buffalo Bill used glass balls in his famous short-range "sharp-shooting" act in the circus, and his cartridges were loaded with shot!

Since glass balls were relatively expensive and gun clubs did not like their grounds littered with broken glass, inventors began looking for a substitute.

One chap invented a ball made of a material advertised as an excellent fertilizer. Another patented a paper "bird" which consisted of a wire ball to which paper trailers were attached. This was not unlike the modern bird now used in badminton.

Another idea was a brass saucer filled with powdered charcoal that erupted into a cloud of black dust when a pasteboard that held the powder in place, was shot out. For a few years there was some interest in a "gyro" trap which was a propeller-shaped piece of steel that was spun up into the air from a screw.

Finally George Ligowsky of Cincinnati, Ohio, saw boys skipping sea-shells on the seashore, and in 1880 gave shooters the bird.

#### Use Molten Pitch.

The modern target, most brittle thing that man can make, is produced of molten pitch mixed with pulverized limestone and poured into water-cooled moulds. Making targets sounds quite simple but great secrecy surrounds the actual preparation and compounding of the raw material and the manufacturing technique as it is practiced by one of the world's largest producers of targets.

In flight, a trap target is a combination gyroscope and airplane wing. The spin which ranges up to 5,000 revolutions per minute for a perfectly thrown target, has a gyroscopic stabilizing effect that keeps it flying in a single direction.

A perfect hit which "smokes" a target, seems to stop it dead in its air tracks, but scientists say that isn't so. Actually they say the target keeps on going in all directions until gravity overcomes the original momentum. As the professors explain it, when shot pellets break a target into thousands of tiny specs, centrifugal forces are released which permit each of the specs of the broken target to move in the direction in which it was headed at the moment the spinning target was broken.

And poor George Ligowsky thought that his clay pigeons sailed through the air with the greatest of ease just because they were like sea-shells!

### Red Cross Wants Men For Service Overseas

WASHINGTON.—The American Red Cross appealed for 1,000 men to serve as field workers with the armed forces overseas, urging discharged veterans and persons no longer in essential war industries to apply for the jobs.

"The morale of all American forces still in uniform becomes an increased responsibility now that winning the war is no longer a stimulus," Basil O'Connor, national chairman, said.

The Pacific ocean areas to be occupied offer little in the way of entertainment, he added.

#### He Gets Purple Heart

##### After 27-Year Wait

WEST CHESTER, PA.—Horace Pippin, Negro artist, has been awarded the Purple Heart after waiting 27 years.

Wounded in the Champaigne sector in France in 1918, while serving in the infantry, Mr. Pippin was notified that he has been awarded the Purple Heart by the war department.

We could eat olives until we looked like a string of beads.

### Missionary to Speak on Baptist Hour



Dr. Baker James Cauthen, Secretary of Baptist missions in the Orient, and former missionary in China, will be the speaker at 7:30 a. m. Sunday, Feb. 3rd, on the Baptist Hour which can be heard over KGNC of Amarillo.

Dr. Cauthen is a former Texas pastor and before going to China was professor of missions at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth. He saw service in occupied China until Pearl Harbor in 1941, after which he went to Kwellin in Free China where he served as Civilian Chaplain of the Fourteenth Army Air Force and did evangelistic preaching among the Chinese. He will return to China in a few weeks and will lead the Baptist forces in China, Japan and the Islands of the Pacific, commuting every few months between the Orient and Richmond, Virginia, the headquarters of the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board.

Dr. Cauthen is a speaker of ability and will be remembered by a number of people in Canyon where he spoke about a year ago in a special student conference on foreign missions.

The students had handed in their essays on Oliver Cromwell in the history class and there were several odd stories. One said: "Oliver Cromwell was a man with coarse features and having a large, red nose with deep religious convictions beneath."

The bashful young couple were very much in love and had just got on a jammed bus.

"Reckon we can squeeze in here?" he said.

Her low reply was, "I think we had better wait until we get home, don't you, dear?"

"If you were in that house for no dishonest purpose, why were you in your stocking feet?"

"Well, Judge, I heard there was sickness in the family."

Mark Twain was the literary name of Samuel L. Clemens.

"But," objected the ward heeler, "would your conscience allow you to do that?"

"Look here," replied the Big Gun. "I'm accustomed to be the boss, even of my own conscience!"

"I suppose, Liza, you think it strange that one who plays the piano as perfectly as I do should practice so much?"

"Yas, mam, an' if hit wuz me, I'd give up in disgust!"

#### BELETED

I'm always just a little late. Though I try hard as sin To find a store that isn't out Of those things there's a shortage in.

"Hang it all," said the colonel. "What's the idea of parading all the big men in front of the little men?"

"It's the sergeant's fault," explained the lieutenant. "He used to run a fruit store."

"The general is sick," said the doctor.

"What's the matter with the general?" asked the chaplain.

"Oh, things in general."

"Oh, doctor," said the young lady, "will the scar show?"

"That, madam," said the doctor, "is entirely up to you."

"Do you wish your office furnishings insured against theft, Mr. Grandon?"

"Yes, all except the clock. Everybody watches that."

"Hey, Buddy, how come you joined the Army?"

"First of all I wanted to fight; second, I felt it would make me physically fit; and third, they came and got me."

"The traps on this course are very annoying, aren't they?" said the golfer.

"Yes, they are," growled his dour companion, "and I wish you would close yours."

The first dollar made by Abraham Lincoln was paid him for transporting two men by flatboat to a river steamer in the Mississippi.

James Talcott, eminent New York merchant, earned his first dollar when ten years of age selling marbles to his playmates.

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### Used Fats Are Needed For Soap Manufacturing

Housewives can help off-set one of the most serious post-war shortages by conserving and turning over to meat dealers all used fats from their kitchens, according to government officials.

Unless this consistent collection continues, there will be even greater shortages of laundry soaps, pack-aged soaps, as well as other needed products, he warned. During war years, housewives accounted for 10 percent of the inedible production and collections must continue at this rate if we are to get the essential items we need.

"World export supplies and net imports of inedible fats and oils into the United States are not expected in pre-war volume until later this year, perhaps in 1947," explains an official. Meanwhile, he added, the national larder must be supplemented with used kitchen fats, the last remaining source of supply.

"Why is it," asked the irritable customer, "I never get what I ask for here?"

"Perhaps, madam," said the assistant, smiling coldly, "we are too polite."

"I don't like the way that horse I bought from you always tries to keep his head down."

"He's just showing his shame on account of not yet being paid for."

"Did you know Judd's business had run down?"

"I presumed so. I heard he was going to wind it up."

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"Then bring them back and I will make them good," promised the grocer.

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"My husband is an efficiency expert in a large office."  
"What does an efficiency expert do?"  
"Well, if we women did it, they'd call it nagging."

Captain Kidd, the pirate, was hanged at the Execution Dock in London, in 1701.

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However, Americans usually associate with peacetime goods, essential household equipment which largely disappeared from the market while the war was on. These are now coming back to our store, in spite of shortages and strikes. They will soon be coming back in

larger numbers. Their quality will be superior, thanks to the manufacturing knowledge that has been gained during the war.

We wish that we could tell just when we shall be able to furnish you everything that you need. But we can tell you this for sure:

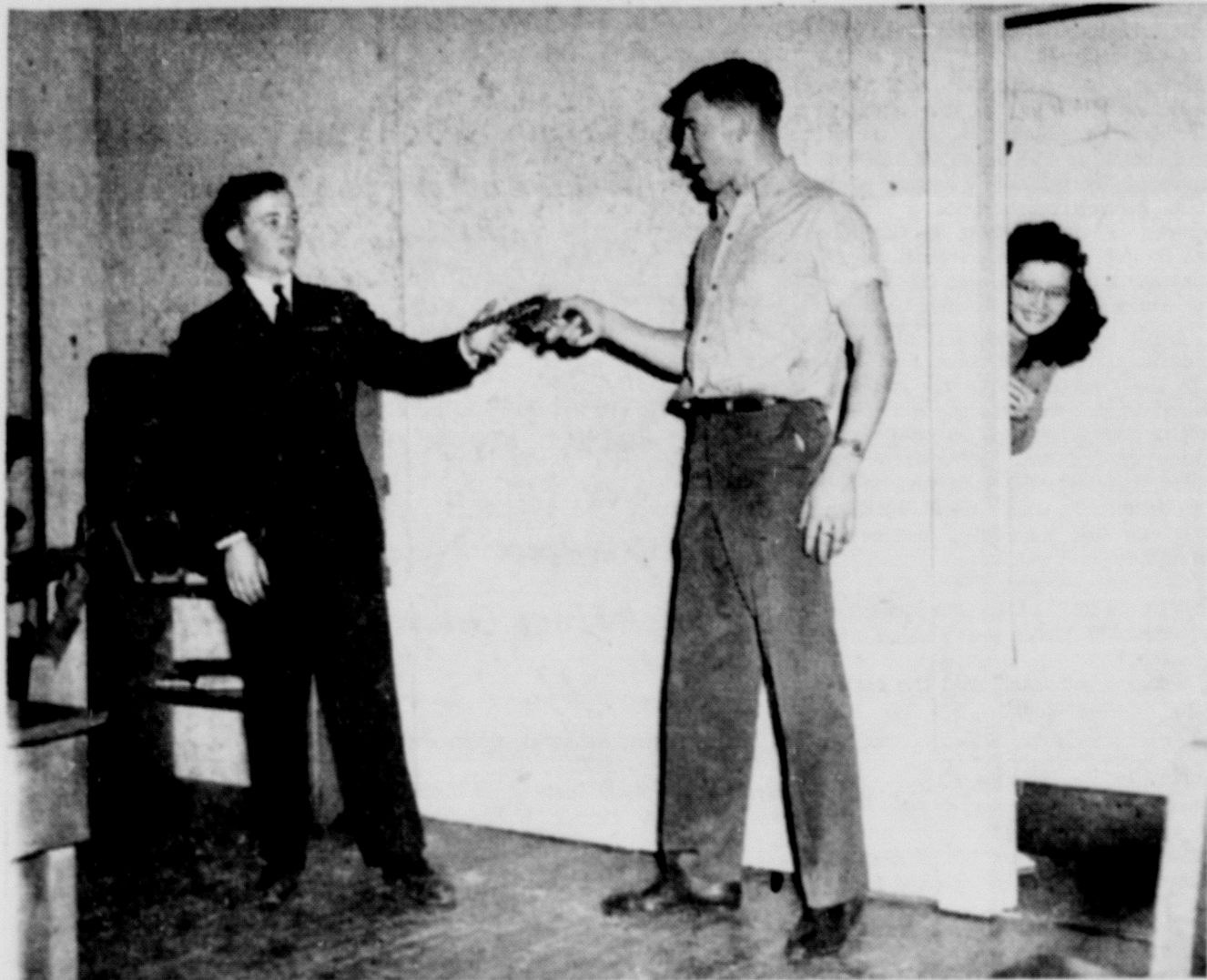
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# Juniors Will Stage 'Mystery In the Library'

'Lay That Pistol Down, Cop' Wright Demands As Gooch, Alias, Peeping Tom, Views Affair



"Well what do you know about that! I forgot I was poppin pigeons this afternoon. It ain't go no shells in it," remarks Swenson, as he hands President Hartman the gun. Miss Peeping Tom, alias Annie Goopie, views the situation with gayety.

## Recitals Conclude Semester Plans

Music students of Mrs. Glenn Dowlen and Mrs. Ray McReynolds have just completed their first semester's work with a series of recitals given through the week and next Sunday.

Beginning this series last Sunday, January 27, the advanced intermediates started with their recital in the high school auditorium. Music beginners performed Monday afternoon in the grade school music room and the intermediates gave their program Tuesday, also in the music room.

Next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock in the High School auditorium, the more advanced students will give their recital. These recitals are vocal and piano pieces including both classic and semi-classical numbers.

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### MARCH OF DIMES

Will you give, so they may live? Thousands of children are stricken with Infantile Paralysis yearly. Few of us know how it is to lie in bed, day after day, week after week, not being able to run and play and do the everyday things which we don't learn to appreciate until we are confined to our bed or chair. But with the right kind of care this illness can be cured until its victim is almost normal, once more.

President Roosevelt began the March of Dimes, which is a fund taken for the Infantile Paralysis hospital in Warm Springs, Georgia, and this year President Truman continued this observance.

So students of Canyon, add your dimes, nickels and pennies to those already in the jars placed in the classroom by the Future Homemakers of America.

Give, that they may live!  
By Frances Gooch.

### COURTESY, IF YOU PLEASE

Do you realize that the district basketball tournament is only two weeks away? Friday and Saturday, February 15 and 16, the seven teams in district 1-A will compete here for the title. Let's remember that Canyon is host to these teams. When our team is playing let's back it, but don't boo the referee or the other team. The referee calls all games as best he can. When two out-of-town teams are playing, let's not take sides.

Let's remember our hospitality and courtesy to visiting teams and the referee. We can do it!  
By Anita Johnigan.

### WERE YOU SURPRISED?

When you received your final grades, were you surprised or disappointed? Well, in either case what are you going to do about it?

In case of disappointment you have 18 weeks, one whole semester to improve your work and bring that grade up to a better one. It isn't very hard to do and so many opportunities depend upon your grades that it is worth your time.

If your grade was better than you expected, are you going to keep it that way? You can, by studying a

### SYMPATHY

We, the faculty and the students of Canyon High School extend our deepest sympathy to Billy Joe, Roy, and Ray McCarter at the loss of their father, in death Saturday, January 26.

Also to Virginia Taylor who is in an Amarillo hospital suffering from injuries received in a car accident.

And to Dr. Harris M. Cook, a member of our school board, who is in the St. Anthony's Hospital suffering from a brain hemorrhage.



Starting this second semester, this is some of the dirt that's being dealt out. . . .

What's this I hear about Dick Barrett being Wanda Edwards' dream man. Can that be true, Wanda?

Weren't your rather sleep Friday, Billy Abbott after going with a girl down W. T. way Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday day, . . . too?

What does that '40 Chevrolet mean that's around every day, sixth period? Do you know by any chance Ray McDonald, "Rusty" Davis, and Malcolm? This will help you remember: the license "EX 8524."

Sue Dickerson's bracelet is being seen on Neil Kilchrist's arm. Is there really something between them?

What's this I hear about Miss Davies having to wait ten minutes after play practice Sunday night, so Charles Wright could get ready for his date.

Are we losing Jessie Pearl Harding now, after Robert McDaniels has given her an engagement ring?

Ah, wedding bells—one of Canyon High's graduates, Johnnye Frances Wallen married Don Schaeffer Sunday evening.

Jerry Inman and Ema Gene Zachry usually occupy the hall every chance they get. (To talk about old times or something).

How you do rate with these teachers Cheri! I hear that Mr. Sanders would enroll as a senior if you'd only be his girlfriend!

Seen going into Bob's Sunday night were Johnny Ford and James Inman. Is something brewin'?

Yep, it seems to be true, Shirley Harrison and "Cotton" Boyce are huttin' the highlights now!

Has everyone seen the new sophomore, ain't he good lookin'? By the way if you're hankerin' to know his name, it's Charles Roberts.

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little each night and turning in all your assignments.

If you really want to receive a better grade or keep that good grade, buckle down and learn what you are expected to and make this semester mean something to you and the school.

By Valeta Haines

## Kiddie Kolumn

Hubert Green from New Mexico enrolled in Mrs. Stella Murrell's second grade Monday morning to begin the new semester's work.

Celebrating his birthday Friday, is Billy Ed Childers, a pupil in Mrs. Joe Black's first grade.

Pupils from Mrs. A. K. Goodman's third grade, appearing in the music recital Monday afternoon, were: Gladys Leseberg, Zora Lou Stone, Lynell Gum, Shirley and Jim Bob McGehee.

Substituting for Mrs. Gillispie who is visiting with her son this week is Mrs. C. A. Wagner.

Lee Roy and Jackie Shreve, from Mountain View, Arkansas, are new pupils enrolled in the elementary grades.

Mrs. H. R. Cocanougher and Mrs. Walter Graham visited in Mrs. L. M. Cousins' fourth grade last week.

Joe Lee Rogers has been out of school for sometime because of illness.

Another new student entering grade school for this semester is Kenneth McNeill from Highland, Texas. He enrolled in Mrs. Jones' fifth grade.

Leaving Mrs. Andy Walsh's sixth grade to go to W. T. is Harold Dean Johnston.

Taking the spotlight at noon for the gradesters are the basketball games between the fifth and sixth grades.

### 20th Year



By Guy Brant  
January 29, our Eagle Basketeers went to Hereford to meet the Whitefaces.

Friday the Eagles enter the Dimmitt tournament to meet a long standing foe, the Friona Chieftains. In the first game of the bracket, Coach R. D. Wheelock states that the regulars, Abbott, Wright, Rhodes, Long, and Burrus will probably start for the Eagles.

Tuesday, January 22, Dumas trampled the Eagles 52 to 33. The Eagles zoomed to the lead at first. The Demons gradually pulled away from them to take the game.

Friday, January 25, at Dumas, the Eagles were again defeated 35 to 47 with Abbott as high point man.

More ships were built on the Delaware River, in peacetime, than upon any other river.

### Favorites:

Food: Fried Chicken  
Beverage: Cherry Coke  
Color: Medium blue  
Actor: Mickey Mouse  
Actress: Little Lulu  
Boyfriend: NONE  
Song: "Some Sunday Morning"  
Ideal Person: Mrs. Dan Sanders  
Hobby: Collecting post cards  
Pet Peeve: Conceited people.

### Personals:

Height: 5'4"  
Weight: 120 lbs.  
Hair: Brown  
Eyes: Brown

"... the thought of going out into that dark hall again—passing that body at the foot of the stairs, sleeping in a pool of its own blood—staring blindly into space . . ."

Who is the murdered man lying on the stair case with a gory knife clutched in his hand?

"All right—I'll wait one minute more, then I'm going out that window!"

The clock ticks off the seconds in the old library in the basement of dilapidated Clark College located on a lonely hill a mile from town.

"It was a hand that touched me, a hand with five long, cold, bony fingers!"

Was it a human hand or could it have been the hand of old man Clarke's ghost who lurks in the murky halls of the old College?

"One by one they've gone—first Clarabeth, then Mr. Hartman,—Jay and Shorty—and now, Dick!"

What happens to these students and Professor Hartman, as they disappear in the halls and are swallowed up in the darkness which is breathing hatred and murder?

"The grave stands tenantless and the sheeted dead gibber and sneak in the school house halls. . . ."

For the thrill of a lifetime and a mystic seance with the dead, see the junior play "Mystery in the Library" Thursday night, Jan. 31, at 8 o'clock in the Canyon High School Auditorium. Admission is 25c and 40c.

The play is under the direction of Mrs. Wilma C. Hornstra and Miss Kathryn Davies, class sponsor.

### CAST

Ellsworth Larson	Bill Davis
Claribeth Harris	Zonelle Gregg
Dick Martin	James Riggsby
Jay Manson	Ridings Sloan
Shorty George	Orville Turner
Dora Dean	Geraldine Small
Margaret Allison	Louise Bluet
Annie Goopy	Frances Gooch
Pres. Hartman	Harold Prichard
Benny Lyon	Donald Sterling
Inspector Burke	Edwin Huff
Swenson	Charles Wright
Electrician	M. E. Rhoades
Heinrich	James Guthrie

## Shepherd Employed Gray Leaves CHS

Mr. M. D. Shepherd of San Antonio, is the new bandleader in Canyon High School, starting next Monday. Mr. Shepherd has recently been discharged from the Armed Services. He will serve as full time band and music instructor.

A graduate of West Texas State College, Mr. Shepherd formerly taught at Higgins, Texas. He is the brother of Mrs. Glenn Dowlen, piano and voice instructor.

Mr. Bob Gray, former band instructor at Canyon High School, left last Thursday for Tulsa, where he will hold his first fulltime position, and, also, will receive an increase in salary. Mr. Gray has not graduated from WTSC, where he has been enrolled, but will continue to do work on Saturdays at the college.

During the last two weeks Canyon High has had one withdrawal. Donald Sterling dropped on January 18. Billy Charles Roberts entered high school here on January 28, as freshman.

## Bill Davis and Harold J. Prichard Head Junior Amateurs in Annual Presentation of Play



Play cast discuss various scenes from the production. Seated left to right: James Riggsby, Bill Davis, Zonelle Gregg, Louise Bluet, Geraldine Small and Frances Gooch. Standing are: Harold Jay Prichard, Charles Wright, Edwin Huff, Orville Turner and Ridings Sloan.



Troy Cook S 1-c, (SC), former student of Canyon High School is home on leave visiting relatives and friends. He has been in service two years and thirteen days. Troy took his training at San Diego, California, after which he was transferred to duty in the South Pacific. He saw action in Okinawa and Iwo Jima. He is to report back to Portland, Oregon by February 14, 1946.

Royce E. Boyce S 1-c, is home on a fifteen day leave from Treasure Island, California, where he is a member of a transportation crew.

Kenneth Bosley received his discharge January 26. He was in the service thirty-one months of which he spent twenty-seven in the Pacific.

Corporal C. L. Roberts, marine, visited Sam Hill last week end.

Gene Davis S 2-c received his discharge January 28, after 15 months in service.

Andy Walsh, Jr., P. H. M. 3-c visited in the home of his parents January 26 and 27.

Former student of Canyon High School, ex-Tech. Sergeant, Bill Schuette, arrived January 24, with

### ATTENTION

The curtain will rise promptly at 8:00 o'clock, Thursday, January 31, when the juniors present their production, "Mystery in the Library." Doors are to be closed after this time and there will be no further admittance until the intermission at the end of the first act. By prohibiting entrance except during brief intervals between acts, it is hoped that unnecessary noise and confusion may be eliminated.

his discharge. He was in combat in the Philippines and was in service three years.

## Spring Term Begins January 28, 1946

With the second semester opening Monday, January 28 at 9:00 o'clock, students spent the first hour filling out second term schedules.

Meeting in the auditorium at 10:00 o'clock, pupils received instruction sheets which contained information governing the student body. These rules were issued to aid in the understanding of needed regulations.

After a question period, and announcements concerning the Junior play, Mr. Cole turned the meeting back to Malcolm J. Gunter who dismissed the student body.

More courses in music and civics in both high and grade schools will be offered on the regular schedule during the spring term.

Blondin crossed Niagara Falls on a tight rope in 1859.

## Demons Outplay Canyon Eagles

Paced by French, rangy forward, the Dumas Demons added a big mark to the outstanding record Canyon first stringers when they came out on the long end of a 31 to 55 score in the game Tuesday night, January 22, in the grade school gym. Throughout the game the husky lads from Dumas kept a reasonably safe margin between the scores. High point man for the Eagles quintet was: forward, Billy Abbott, with twelve tallies to his credit; while French passed seven field goals through the hoop and two free shots.

Second strings of both teams clashed in a bout with Dumas winning by a score of 35 to 15. James Guthrie, CHS forward, was high point man with five fingers and Richard Walters scored four.

On the Demons' court Friday night, January 25, the Eagles played a return game. Fighting every minute of the conflict the Canyon High School squad held its own with the opponents until the last quarter, when Wright fouled out, and the Demons went ahead to take the score 47 to 35. Abbott again was high point man with a record of eleven scores. Long came second, with seven.

England's Whitehall Mill, as early as 1830, produced a sheet of paper nearly 3 miles long by 4 feet wide.

# The Eagle's Tale

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New Term,  
Let's Learn!

Thursday, January 31, 1946

Attention students of Canyon High School! Have you turned in all snapshots to Cheri Kilchrist for the "Soaring Wings" Annual? If not, there is a box placed in the main hall in front of the mirror for the pictures you have failed to turn in. You may want these back and if so, write or print your name on the back of the snapshot.

### CLASSROOM CHATTER

Garland Butler skipped an English class the other day. Or was that the way it was? Well, I'll tell you: As a punishment for chewing gum during his geography test Mrs. Ball held him fifteen minutes overtime. Maybe she didn't know he had a test that next period, but anyway he stayed. When the fifteen minutes were up Mrs. Ball told him he could go home. He surely took her seriously because he had to take the English Test the next day! . . . Miss Davies really knows how to spill milk when she is eating across the table from a certain person in the lunch room. She has a way of "getting it all over you," doesn't she, Mr. Cole? . . . Mrs. Knott just couldn't get her car started when she was leaving the school building the other day. She tried all the keys on the key-ring before she finally trudged back into the building, where she met Mr. Cole. She explained her trouble to him and as he examined the keys he suddenly said, "No wonder, those are my keys." Now how could she have picked up his keys? . . . Algebra II has a hard time getting started these days. The simple reason is: James Riggsby has turned salesman. I heard that he tried selling the students dry-ink fountain pens. Have any luck, James?

. . . Mrs. Hornstra really had fun reading history tests. Anyway, some of them. These are just a few definitions received:

Koran, which is really the Mohammedism Bible, was defined as: What I had for supper last night! "Stuff at the back of the book where you look for stuff," was an answer given to define Index. Mrs. Hornstra thinks they should have known it was "A group of books which the Pope forbade the Catholic children to read."

One student seemed to think that "study of History" helps to make high school students suffer.

To top it all off, one student described a monk to be: "a animal we are created from." It really is a person who devotes his life to religion and helping other. (I think, maybe!)

Visitors in Canyon last week were Mr. and Mrs. Roach Allen, former teachers at Canyon Grade and High schools. Mr. Allen taught social studies in the fifth and sixth grades while Mrs. Allen, formerly Miss Clarence Whitten, taught art in the high school grades.

Before receiving his discharge March 3rd, Lt. Allen served in Dutch New Guinea and Philippine Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen are planning to reside in Austin, Texas where Mr. Allen will attend the University of Texas to finish his Doctors Degree of Education.

Baking powder, when thrown on a small blaze, will decompose, producing carbon dioxide, and the acid salts will fuse and coat the burning materials and extinguish the fire.

You can always make Budweiser by sending him to school.

## 'He's My Guy,' Said She—Yes, 'Always,' Said He

"Down By the Old Mill Stream" in "Georgia," "Carolina" and "Jim." Sat "Together," in his "Surrey with the Fringe on Top." As he reached for her hand he said, "Let Me Call You Sweetheart," and she whispered, "I Should Say No," but "My Resistance Is So Low." He said, "A Kiss Goodnight," "Is Alright" to which she replied, "There I've Said It Again."

He wouldn't take, "No, No, A Thousand Times No." for an answer, so he said, "Cuddle Up a Little Closer," "Honey"; then offered her some "Candy," while the "Paper Moon," looked on from "The Sky On High."

"Jim," said, "Gee, It's Good To Hold You," and you're so "Embraceable You" little. . . . To which she answered "All Those Endearing young Charms" do so become you!

It wasn't long; however, until they decided to "Stop Making That Noise," and go for a "Stroll Through The Park." In a teasing moment she, "Carolina," said, "-I Wish You Were Dead, You Little Rascal, You." He laughed it off with, "Oh, You Beautiful Doll." He then took her to her home, "The House With A Little White Light," and at the door he said, "I'm all Yours," "Please Don't Say No, Say Maybe." She sobbed, "Just A Little Fond Affection" was all I was thinkin' of. . . . but.

"Incidentally," there was a "Wedding March" "In the Middle of May," and so now "Carolina" is

"Waitin' For The Train To Come In" and then they're going to "Put Another Chair At The Table."

### POETRY CORNER

Jack be nimble  
Jack be quick,  
Jack Jumped.

Little Miss Muffett,  
Sat on her tuffett,  
Eating her curds and whey,  
When along came a spider,  
And sat down beside her and said,  
"Bittums!"

Little Boy Blue,  
Come blow your horn,  
The pigs in the slo,  
The cows in the barn.

Little Bo Peep  
Has lost her sleep,  
And can't tell—

Georgie Porgie, Pudding and Pie,  
Kissed the girls, (Hubba! Hubba!)

Old Mother Hubbard,  
Went to her cupboard,  
To get her poor dog a bone,  
When she got there her cupboard  
was B-E-A-R

So she sicked her dog on it!

Jack and Jill came up to school,  
To take a semester test,  
Jack studied none, 'cause he was dumb,  
And Jill, she did the best!

Wee Winnie Winkle, in his little jeep,  
Dated the girls and never did sleep,  
Went to his English. Tried to make a rhyme,  
But went to sleep most every time.

Gold mining was commenced in the Appalachians about 1792 and in California in 1848.



## News In Canyon 25 Years Ago

(Taken from the files of the  
Randall County News of  
February 3, 1921)

W. C. Black, tax collector, states that 473 were registered in Randall county last year.

Bob McMurtry is being held for shooting Claude Mullins. McMurtry owns a large ranch in Randall

county, while Mullins has worked here the past year. The shooting occurred at Childress, where the two met.

The five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fluegel was hit by a car on the streets of Amarillo and killed.

Pete Norfleet has resumed his studies in the college after being away to assist his father, Frank Norfleet, in the capture of one of the men who swindled Mr. Norfleet of \$45,000. Few Canyon people knew that young Norfleet was a student

here until the capture was made. Only 708 poll taxes were paid in the county.

Ed Gerald bought the furnishings of the Baltimore Hotel, and it will be operated by Mr. and Mrs. Gerald. Students and faculty members of the college will meet Saturday to organize the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society.

Trustees of the Canyon Independent School District decided to drop the proposal to increase the size of the district by a special act of the legislature. Opposition developed in the districts which were to be taken in. As a result it was necessary to materially increase the tuition of the Canyon Schools.

### Wayside Items

(Too late for last week)

Rev. George-Stuart filled his regular appointment Sunday morning. Mrs. Bessie Lane was able to attend church services Sunday.

John Stockett and Grady Kennedy were Wayside visitors Sunday. Guy Watson and son Darral and W. R. Franklin were business callers in Claude, Friday.

W. C. McGehee was a Happy caller Saturday.

Cpl. Wayne Childress and wife of San Marcos, visited in the home of his uncle, W. R. Franklin and wife last Thursday.

Mrs. Bonnie Sluder and four children and her mother visited their sister and daughter, Mrs. Ralph Childress and family in South Plains last week end.

Our community received rain Jan. 14 and then in the next two or three days we received about 10 inches of snow. Not much passing around. The mail carrier failed to make his rounds, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, and only made the trip to the office and back Friday and Saturday. The roads will be bad for days, but the moisture is good on the wheat.

"Was that Mr. Pilfer who worked for you a tried and trusted employer?" asked an intended employer.

"Yes, indeed," replied the bank president. "We trusted him, and now he'll be tried during the next term of court."

"Do you have any luck betting?" "Naw—always lose. But it keeps me from catching a cold." "How in thunder does it do that?" "Like this. When I feel myself getting the shivers. I just make a bet that I'll catch a bad cold—and I never get it."

Fannie Headlip Lee was the writing name of Mrs. H. P. Agee.

Sophie Kerr was in real life Mrs. S. K. Underwood.

## Randall County Gold Star Girl Chosen

Alice Irlbeck of the Umbarger Senior 4-H Club has been named Randall County Gold Star Girl for 1945.

She is a senior in the Umbarger school, and has been working with the 4-H club ever since she was 10 years old. During that time she served as secretary for her club three years, and represented the 4-H girls of the county at the Co-operative Grain Producers "Talent Club" banquet in 1945.

She displayed for the judges many well made articles of household linens and clothing that she has made.

In the last club year she designed and made two tufted bedspreeds, a dress, a pair of bedroom slippers, and three scarfs, besides helping her mother with the canning, helping redecorate four rooms and refinish the furniture. She also helped with the garden and poultry.

"I'm paying you off, Hulda. You are very stupid. And you need't bother me about a recommendation as a cook."

"Huh, I got no intention of givin' you any recommendation! I'll tell th' truth about you every chance I git."

A one-legged soldier came down the street. "Poor boy," remarked a woman. "You have lost a leg, haven't you?"

"No," the veteran lightly replied, "just left it home for today."

"Sorry to have kept you waiting, but I've been setting a trap for my wife."

"Good Lord, man, what do you suspect?"

"A mouse in the kitchen."

"I can't keep from worrying about Mary's engagement," mother confided. "I thing she would be far happier with a man who has less money than Mr. Smith."

"Never mind, mother," soothed father. "Mary will take care of that after they are married."

"Please, Sir, can you tell me why the tide is not up this morning?"

"Yes, my child, it's because it was out late last night."

## DON'T BE DISAPPOINTED REPAIR YOUR EQUIPMENT

Farmers are advised that conditions for new farm equipment are not so favorable as we anticipated a few weeks ago.

Strikes have reduced the amount of materials available.

Therefore, fewer machines will be made than the companies had anticipated.

New tractor production will go to returned veterans on priority certificates, which is right and just.

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# Social Events of the Week Clubs and Organizations

## Oma Robertson and Rayburn Mc- Kee Will Wed

Of interest to three Panhandle cities, Borger, Wellington, and Canyon, is the approaching marriage of Miss Oma Robertson and Rayburn McKee. Miss Robertson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Robertson, long-time residents of Wellington. She has lived in Canyon 4½ years. Mr. McKee, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McKee of Canyon, is employed in Borger, where the couple will live. He received his discharge last June after serving five years in the Army Air Corps.

The wedding will be solemnized at 3 o'clock on the afternoon of February 17 at the First Christian church. The Rev. Joseph Findley, pastor, will officiate.

Thursday evening the spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Baber was the scene of one of the season's loveliest parties, when Mrs. J. J.

Walker, Mrs. Henry Cone, Mrs. Bob Parsons and Mrs. Baber entertained with a miscellaneous shower to honor Miss Robertson.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Baber, Miss Robertson, Mrs. V. P. Robertson, mother of the bride-elect, and Mrs. W. H. McKee, mother of the bridegroom-to-be.

Mrs. Parsons conducted the guests through the beautifully furnished rooms, artistically decorated with sweet peas and snap dragons, to the guest room where the many attractive, useful and rare articles that had been presented the honoree were on display.

Guests then registered in the bride's book in the den, where Mrs. Billy Hill presided.

Music by Mrs. J. D. Barker, vocalist, and Mrs. K. E. Frieze, pianist, entertained the guests. Little Miss Judy Parsons entertained with one vocal number to the delight of the guests.

Refreshments were served in the dining room from a table which was covered with a cut-work table cloth. Flanked with silver candle sticks holding tall white tapers, the

centerpiece of white and pink carnations in a crystal bowl was reflected in a large lucite bordered reflector.

Mrs. G. J. Glenn, aunt of the honoree, presided over the silver coffee service while Mrs. Forrest Abernathy, sister of the honoree, presided over the silver tea service. Assisting in the dining room were Mrs. Grayson Gathright, Jr., sister of Mr. McKee, Mrs. Dwight Robertson, and Miss Dorothy Robertson, sister-in-law and sister of Miss Robertson, Mrs. Walker, and Mrs. Cone.

Members of the house party were sweet pea corsages except Miss Robertson who wore pink rosebuds.

Attending or sending gifts were: Mrs. Luke Miller, Mrs. L. C. Ponder, Mrs. Frank Hicks, Mrs. Roy Johnson, Mrs. Bob Oldham, Mrs. T. M. Moore, Mrs. T. H. Knighton, Mrs. Berl Mayfield, Mrs. Clay Cooper, Mrs. Fay Cannedy, Mrs. Gabe Thompson, Mrs. Gladdis Samples, Mrs. Guy Tabor, Mrs. C. R. Flesher, Mrs. N. E. McIntire, Mrs. Dick Ball, Mrs. A. K. Goodman, Mrs. Cecil Simms, Mrs. J. L. Gilmore.

Mrs. Leslie Key, Mrs. Alvin McDonald, Mrs. O. A. May, Mrs. Bertha Matlock, Mrs. Marie Brielting, Miss Carlee Wirt, Miss Irene Angel, Mrs. Ed Williams, Mrs. W. E. Miller, Mrs. Owen Williams, Mrs. Lois Prichard, Mrs. Ray Cole, Mrs. C. R. Burrow, Mrs. R. A. Neblett, Mrs. Julia Samuelson, Mrs. Dan Sanders, Mrs. Olin Mahle, Mrs. George Taylor, Mrs. Ida Lowes, Miss Ruth Lowes, Miss Darthula Walker, Mrs. Jack Middleton, Mrs. Otto Samuelson.

Mrs. Mary Hill, Miss Jewell Sanders, from McLean, Mrs. Ross Crain, Mrs. G. W. Cox, Mrs. Floyd Tomlinson, Mrs. George Archer, Mrs. Lisle, Mrs. J. N. Killingsworth, Miss Lucille Killingsworth, Mrs. T. N. Tippery, Mrs. W. H. McAttee, Mrs. E. J. Cundiff, Mrs. Mary Sligar, Mrs. C. N. Harrison, Mrs. Hal Harrison, Mrs. E. Gidden, Mrs. Wayne Byars.

Mrs. Clarence Thompson, Mrs. Prentis McKee of White Deer, Mrs. Newton Crain, Mrs. Olin Huff, Mrs. G. W. Cone, Miss Betty Cone of Lockney, Mrs. Lowell Miller of Amarillo, Mrs. T. S. Maxwell, Miss Edna Cone, Mrs. T. C. Thompson, Mrs. Archie Roberts, Miss Wynona Smith, Mrs. Jack Parsons, Mrs. E. L. Hardaway, Mrs. Sherman Higdon, Mrs. Marion Higdon, Mrs. Cora Drummond of Amarillo.

Mrs. Milton Morris, Miss Betty Jean and Miss June Ann Robertson of Wellington, Mrs. A. C. White of Lubbock, Mrs. Joe Baber, Mrs. Letha Lehnick, Mrs. J. B. Speer, Miss Maude Cuenod, Miss Margaret Barrett, Miss Hattie M. Anderson, Mrs. A. M. Meyer, Mrs. J. P. Robertson of Brownwood, Mrs. Florence Stephenson, Mrs. Mary Ella Bailey, Mrs. Orval Allen of Skellytown, Mrs. Clyde Davis, Mrs. Chas. Harter, Mrs. Madison Daugherty, Mrs. Kermit Pond, Mrs. Stella Murrell, Mrs. Fred Scott, Mrs. James Williams, Mrs. T. T. Pain, Mrs. G. B. Heath, Miss Lou Ella Patterson, Mrs. H. A. Brown, and Mrs. Ray Campbell.

### DR. LLOYD SMITH TO SPEAK TO A. A. U. W. TUESDAY

Dr. Lloyd Smith will talk to the International Relations Group of the American Association of University Women on social and economic problems in the European countries where he served.

Regular members of the group may invite two guests each.

The meeting is to be held at the home of Miss Ruth Lowes, 2004 7th Ave. at 7:30 o'clock, February 5.

### WEST SIDE H. D. CLUB TO MEET

The West Side Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. B. A. Burrus Wednesday afternoon, February 6 at 2:00 o'clock. This meeting program will be combined with the one missed on January 16. Miss Lou Ella Patterson, county home demonstration agent, will meet with the club.

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Clarence Eugene Thompson, R. T. 1-c and Mrs. Thompson were married January 20. He has returned to sea duty in the Atlantic. Mrs. Thompson, the former Sarah Slack, is making her home in Canyon.

### WOMAN'S BOOK CLUB GIVEN TALKS ON IMMINENT TOPICS

Two pertinent subjects were discussed at the meeting of the Woman's Book Club Wednesday afternoon, January 23.

Mrs. I. F. SoRelle with the topic "Have You No Place Like Home" gave an interesting discussion on the immediate problem of housing conditions.

With the subject "How Do We Look to the British?" Mrs. A. A. Clark presented challenging ideas to the members.

Following the program, Mrs. Fred Standley, club president, conducted a business meeting.

Those present were: Miss Helen Hickman, Miss Irene Angel, Mrs. Harris M. Cook, Mrs. Ben Louder, Mrs. A. W. Sternberg, Mrs. Ted Reid, Mrs. Clyde McElroy, Mrs. Ben D. Beck, Mrs. R. A. Neblett, Mrs. C. R. Burrow, Mrs. T. B. McCarter, Mrs. C. M. Dowlen, Mrs. Alfred Bellah, Mrs. P. H. Doshier, Mrs. Lee Foster, Mrs. S. H. Condron, Mrs. J. A. Hill, Mrs. T. M. Moore, Mrs. Nancy McCaslin, Mrs. T. H. Knighton, Mrs. Standley, Mrs. Lee Johnson, Mrs. SoRelle, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. H. A. Brown, Mrs. D. A. Nicholas.

### EDGETOWN H. D. CLUB STUDY WORLD FOOD NEEDS FRIDAY

The Edgetown Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Frank R. Phillips on Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. The theme for the study was "Food in Terms of World Needs."

Roll call was answered by "Up to the Minute News on the Food Problem, or Foods Our Boys Eat Around the World."

"Food and Its Effect on World Peace" was given by Mrs. T. M. Thurmon. "How Can We Help to Solve the Hunger Problem?" was discussed by Mrs. J. R. Sharp. "What Is the Rest of the World Doing About Food?" was presented by Mrs. C. H. Stratton.

During the social hour, Mrs. R. E. Foster entertained with games. Mrs. L. L. Gore gave a drill on parliamentary procedure.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Fred Sogee, S. R. Hood, W. L. Tice, C. H. Stratton, Fred Marshall, T. M. Thurmon, L. L. Gore, J. R. Wright, Douglas Marshall, O. M. Solomon, P. L. Walters, R. E. Foster, M. E. Cleavinger, W. I. Wester, T. T. Pain, A. B. Anthony, J. C. Dowd, I. M. Steen, M. C. DeGraffenried, J. R. Sharp, Pennie Cox, Misses Mable Solomon, Jessie DeGraffenried and the hostess.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Pennie Cox on Friday, February 8 at 3:00 o'clock.

### COUNCIL OF CHURCH WOMEN MEET AT METHODIST CHURCH

About 40 women from the churches of Canyon met in the Methodist Church for the Council of Church Women's program on Tuesday, January 29 at 3:00 o'clock.

Interesting and inspirational discussions were given by Mrs. J. R. Sharp, who spoke on "Personal Faith and Experience," and Mrs. Lawrence Aber, who discussed "The Bible of Life."

Two numbers were given by the Women's Choir: "Steal Away," a negro spiritual, and "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy." Mrs. H. A. Brown directs the choir and Mrs. Herschel Coffee is accompanist.

After a short business meeting, the women were invited to have tea and enjoy a social hour together.

Announcement was made that all women who are interested in singing in the choir are invited to meet the 1st and 3rd Tuesday morning at 9:30 for practice in the choir room at the Baptist Church.

Help Keep Canyon Clean!

### YOUNG GROUP PLAY BRIDGE WITH MRS. A. C. HALEY, JR.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Arthur C. Haley, Jr. was hostess to a group of friends for an afternoon of bridge.

Guests for the afternoon were: Mrs. Elsworth Barnard, Mrs. Robert Bellah, Mrs. Lee Russell, Mrs. Jack Walker, Mrs. Chris Wooten, Mrs. Jack Taylor, Mrs. Bill Sternberg, Mrs. Kenneth Gibson, Mrs. A. M. Warren, Mrs. Harley Stone, and Mrs. Lane Cummings from Amarillo, and Miss Virginia Vaughan.

### PLEASANTVIEW H. D. CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. MIDDLETON

The Pleasantview Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Jack Middleton, Thursday afternoon, Jan. 24. The President, Mrs. A. B. Haines, presided. Mrs. Albert Meyer served as secretary in the absence of the secretary, Mrs. Joe Currie.

The program consisted of a study of the food situation in the world today.

Delicious ice cream and cake were served to the following: Mrs. Carl Heizer, Mrs. Harold Heizer, Mrs. E. N. Cooke, Mrs. T. M. Moore, Mrs. Billy Brown, Mrs. Earl Burtz, Mrs. John Jennings, Mrs. Albert Meyer, Mrs. Milton Dooley, Mrs. A. B. Haines, and the hostess, Mrs. Jack Middleton.

The next meeting will be at the

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home of Mrs. Carl Heizer on Thursday, Feb. 14.

### MRS. CLYDE W. WARWICK IS HOSTESS TO 1936 BRIDGE CLUB

On Friday afternoon Mrs. Clyde W. Warwick was hostess to members and guests of the 1936 Bridge Club.

At the conclusion of the series of games the hostess assisted by her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Haley, Jr., served a salad plate to the following members and guests: Mrs. V. T. Nutt, Mrs. W. R. Clark, Mrs. J. S. Humphreys, Mrs. Lemuel Jarrett, Mrs. T. B. McCarter, Mrs. F. E. Savage, Mrs. D. A. Shirley, Mrs. R. A. Terrill, Mrs. Ann Wofford.

Mrs. A. W. Sternberg, Mrs. A. K. Knott and Mrs. J. J. Walker.

Andy Walsh, Jr., Phm. 3-c, who has been transferred from Corpus Christi to Dispensary U. S. Marine Corps Station, Mountain Lake, Fort Worth, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Walsh.

Mrs. Fred Weatherford and 2 children, formerly of Littlefield, spent Thursday visiting in the home of old time neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Thurmon.

Senator Grady Hazlewood of Amarillo was a business caller in Canyon Wednesday.

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POTATOES 49¢

CELERY, Large Stalk 23¢

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FLOUR	MILK
Gold Medal	Carnation
25 lbs.	3 Cans
<b>\$1.19</b>	<b>25¢</b>

SYRUP Penick Golden No. 5 Jar 39¢

V-8 COCKTAIL, 46 oz. . . 29¢

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TOMATO PUREE, Can . . 5¢

GRAPE JUICE, Quart . . . 46¢

Oxydol, Duz, Dreft, Camay, Ivory and Lava Soap Saturday

SHORT RIBS, lb. . . . 20¢

ROAST, Fancy Beef, lb. . . 28¢

SAUSAGE, Pure Pork, lb. . 35¢

WEINERS, lb. . . . . 30¢

DRY SALT MEAT, lb. . . 18¢

LARD, Pure Hog, lb. . . . 21¢

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, FEB. 1-2

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## Fairview Breezes

This vicinity has been blanketed in snow for 2 weeks. Roads are passable again. Everyone really appreciates the moisture.

Everyone enjoyed being in Sunday School and church services again. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wesley and 2 children, Mrs. Coleman and 4 children and Carl Neff were welcome new attendants at Sunday School and church.

Mr. and Mrs. Dellas Zachry and children are in New Mexico seeing about their future home which they have purchased out there.

Mrs. Leona Allen, who spent a week in St. Anthony's Hospital taking treatments, was able to be moved to Canyon Saturday but is still under treatment of a doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Slack and Gloria June have arrived at their home in Philadelphia.

Those enjoying lunch in the H. H. Shipman home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley, Miss Lavinia Amerson, Florene Evans, Mrs. Coleman and 4 children. Those coming for singing in the afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Schaeffer and daughters Evelyn, Fayerene and Annabelle; Mary Edna Wise, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Sharpes and children, Troy Wayne and Etta Jean and granddaughter Bettye.

Vesta Amerson is visiting in Sacramento, California. She expects to be gone a month.

There will be an all day Home Demonstration Club meeting in the home of Mrs. J. W. Wesley Friday, February 1. Everyone is invited to

attend these meetings. Miss Patterson will meet with the club at that meeting. Clothing and foods are the topic for this year's study.

Fayerene Schaeffer visited in the parental E. W. Schaeffer home Saturday night.

E. E. Wesley called in the parental J. W. Wesley home Sunday.

Jack Sutton, who has been in the hospital at San Antonio for the past 8 weeks is able to be up around the hospital, but will be unable to leave for 4 or 5 more weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wesley were in Tulsa on business Wednesday of last week.

The Rev. and Mrs. Loyd Garrison and daughter were visitors in the Lightfoot home Sunday.

The S. F. Sharpes family were in Amarillo Saturday.

## Wayside Items

Rev. George Stuart filled his regular appointment Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Menefee announce the arrival of a baby girl at their home in Stinnett.

Gale Watson has been on the sick list sometime but is now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dodson, Jr., who have lately moved to California write back that they like their new home and work.

Jim Sluder is in New Mexico on a prospecting trip.

Chas. Kennedy is home with his discharge from the Navy. He and his family are now in Canyon but intend to move to the John Stockett farm where they lived before he left for the Navy.

W. R. Franklin has word that his nephew, Herbert Franklin, has joined the Army and is in training at Camp Lee, Virginia. He expects to sail for Germany after a week's training.

Wayne Sluder is getting a discharge from the Army and expects to be home soon.

Mrs. C. E. Hill of Dalhart is spending this week in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clay Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Gordon of Amarillo visited in the parental H. B. Hales home Sunday.

## Highland News

Don't forget the Box Supper at the Wildorado School Friday night, Feb. 1. Proceeds to be used for installing a heating system in Wildorado M. E. Church.

Lt. Almeta Moore is home after serving the past eighteen months in Army Air Corps service as nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Norman and Terry visited at the L. J. Fulton home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. McCauslin of Amarillo visited at the Fuqua home Sunday.

Emmitt Atkins has received his discharge and has been visiting his mother and sister in the community the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fuqua went to O'Donnell Saturday to attend the funeral service of Mr. Thompson, father of Mrs. Ray Debenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cagle and children visited at the Fuqua home Sunday evening.

## Rotary Governor on Official Visit to the Local Club

Governor Charles S. Peyton, district governor for Rotary International, paid his official visit to the Canyon Rotary Club Tuesday. Business of the club was inspected Monday night, and the Governor spoke at the luncheon Tuesday.

Captain Holmes Smith was welcomed back to the club.

The Governor paid tribute to past Governor Harris M. Cook, and what he has done for Rotary in this district.

Fellowship was the greatest achievement of Rotary, stated the Governor. The motto of Rotary, "Service Above Self" leads men into better understanding and appreciation of every day life. It has brought efficiency in business. The knowledge of a job well done is the greatest achievement of men. Those who perform service carry on under

## Love, Courtship and Marriage

Love, Courtship and Marriage will be the theme of a series of sermons to be delivered at the First Baptist Church in Canyon during February, morning and evening hours on Sunday. The subjects for February 3 will be "Falling in love intelligently," and "An Ideal life-partner." Evening services begin at 8:00 and opportunity is given for members of the congregation to write questions to be answered at the close of the service by the speaker. The evening message is shorten to leave time for this question period, and the service of song, sermon and questions is designed to help all who come. Friends are enjoying this new type of evening worship hour.

Other services at the Baptist church include Sunday School for all age groups at 9:45 a. m. and Training Union for all age groups at 7:00 p. m. each Sunday. Wednesday prayer service is at 7:30 p. m. Dr. Roy L. Johnson is the pastor.

all conditions. Quitters are always at the bottom.

President Stuart Condon called upon the citizens of Canyon to open their homes to take care of returning veterans who want to go to college. There are several here who cannot find a place to live until the trailer camp is completed.

Visitors were: Miss Laviole Meador, Eldon K. Shipps, Chris Wooten, Malcolm Guenter of Canyon; J. H. Brittain of Kilgore; Leo Forrest, Hermon Ford, Henry Sears, of Hereford; Don Harris of Jacksonville; H. G. Pritchard, Arch Hunsley, Sam Tidwell, John McCarty, Forrest Barnes, E. Kancher, F. A. Paul, Roy Pool, all of Amarillo.

## Political Announcements

The following have authorized The News to announce their candidacy for public office, subject to the Democratic primaries of 1946:

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: Calvin Casey

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: G. B. Heath  
L. S. (Slim) Johnston

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector: Roland Black  
M. E. Cantrell

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: Clarence Beckman

For District Judge, 47th Judicial District: Henry S. Bishop

For County Treasurer: Mrs. Elzie Price

For County and District Clerk: A. B. Holt

For County Judge and Ex-officio Superintendent of Schools: A. H. Hunt

For County Attorney: Joe Thompson

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: D. S. Hill

## Sulfa-Dango, a New Hope for Many Scalp And Skin Disorders

This amazing new scientific preparation contains one of the powerful germ killing "sulfas" together with a soothing penetrating agent in liquid form.

Sulfa-Dango gives relief the very first application to itching, scaly, dandruff.

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## CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express our appreciation of the kindness shown by friends during our recent bereavement. May God bless you all. Mrs. B. F. Oatis and children.

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 20 gal. non-automatic gas hot water heater; pre-war porcelain top kitchen cabinet. Phone 552, 2103 4th Avenue. 48p2

FOR SALE: 4000 50% headed hegari bundles, \$18.00 per ton. 1/2 mile north of Sterling, Texas. Elmer Sandusky. 48p2

FOR SALE: Fresh Jersey cow. 2202 9th St. Call 255J. 1p

FOR SALE: Model L Case tractor. In good condition. On rubber. Floyd J. Thomas, Rt. 2, Box 275A, Amarillo. 7 miles due South Pullman Switch. 48p3

FOR SALE: Springfield 22 automatic. In perfect condition. See Carl Jennings or call 231W. 1t

FOR SALE: About 50 ton of silage. 8 miles east of Canyon. Walter Boehning, Canyon, Rt. 2. 48p2

FOR SALE: Quick Meal range gas stove. \$40.00. Alfred Bellah. 1t

FOR SALE: Girl's bicycle, with basket. 1501 7th Ave. 1p

FOR SALE: Two kerosene brooder stoves; one used only 3 months. Call 306W. 48p2

FOR SALE: Pierce School House for sale. 8 miles north of Umbarger; 2 large rooms, wood construction, good material; 1 8-foot windmill and steel tower; 1 coal house; 2 small outhouses; these will be sold separate. Sealed bids to be left with County Judge. On Feb. 9, 1946 will be opened and award of property to highest and best bidder, if reasonable. Privilege to reject any and all bids is reserved by the district trustees. R. L. Pond, Henry Wiggins, C. G. Pond. 47t3

FOR SALE: Windmill, tower and tank. Phone 209. 47t4

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Vacant half block in Victoria Addition, Canyon; near high school. Would trade for Hereford property. Troy Womble, Hereford, Texas. 47p2

FOR SALE: 4 male Duroc hogs, about 200 lbs.. Can be registered. Paul Fluegel. 45p3

FOR SALE: Cotton mattress about a mile north of Canyon on highway. Reward. Call 422J, Canyon. 48p2

FURNISHED ROOM, with or without meals. Two girls or couple. Call 264W. 1t

WANTED: Housekeeper. Call 186W after 6:00 p. m. 41t1

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the manager.

# PALACE CAFE

LOST: Left fender skirt for 1942 Buick. Black with two chromium bands. Reward. Mrs. S. E. Brown, Dalhart, Texas. 47p3

TAKEN UP at our place white face yearling, weighs about 750 lbs. With slash across left side, box on left shoulder. Hollenstein & Keene, Umbarger, Texas. 46t3

NOTICE: City blacksmith shop under new owners. Blacksmith, welding, disk rolling, and other jobs. Taylor and McKinney. 45p4

WANTED: Upholstering work in my home. Mrs. Cora Drummond, 706 Fairmont, Amarillo. 45p4

WANTED: Wet washing and rough dry. Phone 305 510 W. 5th Ave. 56p3

WANTED: Furnished or unfurnished house or apartment. Returned veteran. Call 514J. 47p2

STANLEY HOME PRODUCTS: For products or demonstration, write Mrs. C. F. Smith, 2218 Taylor, Amarillo or phone 2-6338. Many free gift items. 45p4

NEED LISTINGS on some good acreage near Amarillo. Have buyers for some good homes. Contact Frances Cornelius 1416 Washington, Amarillo. Phone 9581. 40p8

NOTICE: Dead stock removed. Large or small, with hides on, FREE. Call or notify Consumers Service Station, Canyon, Texas. We pay phone calls. Phone 7. Hereford Rendering Service. 42t1

WE TAKE orders for baby chicks. Prompt delivery. See Canyon Produce. 40t9

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Kitchen Stools	Water Heaters	Globe Valves
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Maytag Parts	Coping Saws	Socket Wrenches
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Tablespoons	Oil Stove	Stilben Wrench
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Thanks again.

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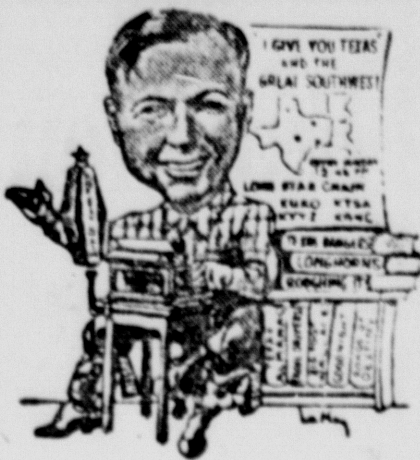


## Dr. Waldo E. Houghton

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The philosophy of this letter, written by Abraham Lincoln to a kinsman, is still timely.

"Your request for \$80 I do not think is best to comply with now. At the various times when I have helped you a little, you have said to me, 'We can get along very well now,' but in a short time I find you in the same difficulty again. Now this can only happen by some defect in your conduct. What that defect is, I think I know. You are not lazy, still you are an idler. I doubt whether, since I saw you, you have done a good whole day's work in any one day.

"You do not very much dislike to work and still you do not work much, merely because it does not seem to you that you could get much for it. This habit of uselessly wasting time is the whole difficulty; it is vastly important to you, and still more so to your children, that you should break the habit. It is more important to them because they have longer to live, and can keep out of an idle habit before they are in it, easier

than they can get out after they are in.

"You are now in need of money; and what I propose is that you shall go to work, 'tooth and nail,' for somebody who will give you money for it. Let father and your boys take charge of your things at home, prepare for a crop, and make a crop, and you go to work for the best money wages, or in discharge of any debt you owe, that you can get; and, to secure you a fair reward for your labor, I now promise you, that for every dollar you will, between this and the first of May get for your own labor, either in money or as your own indebtedness, I will give you one other dollar.

"By this, if you hire yourself at \$10 a month, you will get 10 more, making \$20 a month for your work. In this I do not mean you shall go off to St. Louis, or the lead mines, or the gold mines in California, but I mean for you to go at it for the best wages you can get close to home in Coles County. Now, if you will do this, you will soon be out of debt, and, what is better, you will have a habit that will keep you from getting in debt again. But if I should now clear you out of debt, next year you would be just as deep in as ever.

"You say you would almost give your place in heaven for \$70 or \$80. Then you value your place in heaven very cheap, for I am sure you can, with the offer I make, get the \$70 or \$80 for four or five months' work. You say if I will furnish you the money, you will deed me the land and, if you don't pay the money back, you will deliver possession. Nonsense! If you can't

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### Happy Birthday

- February 1st—  
Bill Edd Childers  
A. G. Craig  
Bobby Ellis  
Vernon Ross Duff  
Velma Evers  
Mrs. R. D. Finley  
Ralph Cabe  
Frank Cox  
S. H. Jones  
Mrs. Minnie Laughery  
Larry Lee Byars
- February 2nd—  
Ogden Stroud  
Dr. C. A. Pierle  
Harold Lee Erwin  
Darlene Higdon  
Mrs. L. L. Gore  
E. W. Womble, Jr.  
Thelma Bonds
- February 3rd—  
O. D. Breittling  
Benny Joe Cupell  
Mrs. Ray Long  
Elizabeth Ann Beckman  
W. U. Adams
- February 4th—  
Tony Rusk  
Troy Langston  
S. V. Wirt  
Paul White  
Mrs. W. E. Bennett  
Martha Camille McNeill
- February 5th—  
Mrs. E. D. Harrell  
Henry Averbeck  
Melvin Leavitt  
Billy Hand  
Harold Beckman  
Marguerite Beckman  
A. W. Hawks  
Billye OrMarie Wirt  
Mrs. G. A. Colling  
Mary Joyce Snapp
- February 6th—  
Nancy Faye Root  
Ray Robbins  
Mrs. M. H. Rockwell  
Mrs. Roy Long
- February 7th—  
Mrs. K. R. Schramm  
Bernice Lowrie  
Claudine Foster  
James Cundiff  
Mrs. Roscoe Davis  
Mrs. Ervin Podzemny

"Say are you the desk clerk?"  
"Yes, what's eating you?"  
"That's what I'd like to know!"

### WORDS OF QUIZ-DOM

The quiz, its question mark unfurled  
Is lurking everywhere;  
It stalks us through the printed page,  
Assaids us on the air.

Caught in the spell of quiz-dom

My grave opinion is  
As long as there's a quiz-tion left  
There's bound to be a quiz.

A long-suffering diner noted that his coffee was served without a spoon. "This coffee," he remarked pointedly, "is going to be pretty hot to stir with my finger."

A short time later the waiter returned with another cup of coffee. "Maybe this isn't so hot, sir," he beamed.

"Professor," said an old grad, "I have made some money and I want to do something for my old college. I don't remember what studies I excelled in."

"In my class you slept most of the time."

"Fine! I'll endow a dormitory."

"Was your tie red when you came in?" asked the barber.

"No, it wasn't," replied the customer. "Gosh!" said the barber.

"If I'm the first fellow you ever kissed, how is it you kiss so well?"  
"If I'm the first girl you ever kissed, how do you know I kiss so well?"

"I would like to know how long girls should be courted?"  
"The same was as short ones."

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Chronic bronchitis may develop if your cough, cold, or acute bronchitis is not treated and you cannot afford to take a chance with any medicine less potent than Creomulsion which goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Creomulsion blends beechwood creosote by special process with other time tested medicines for coughs. It contains no narcotics.

No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough, permitting rest and sleep, or you are to have your money back. (Adv.)

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"It all depends on how close he comes to me, my boy."

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Tire production is far ahead of prewar years—and yet there may not be enough tires to go around! Four years of war have built up a terrific backlog of civilian demand. In spite of this you don't have to worry—Firestone has the answer.

This sensational new plan brings you driving safety NOW when you need it most. Just drive in and your present tires, if smooth and dangerous, will be quality recapped by the Famous Firestone Factory Method.

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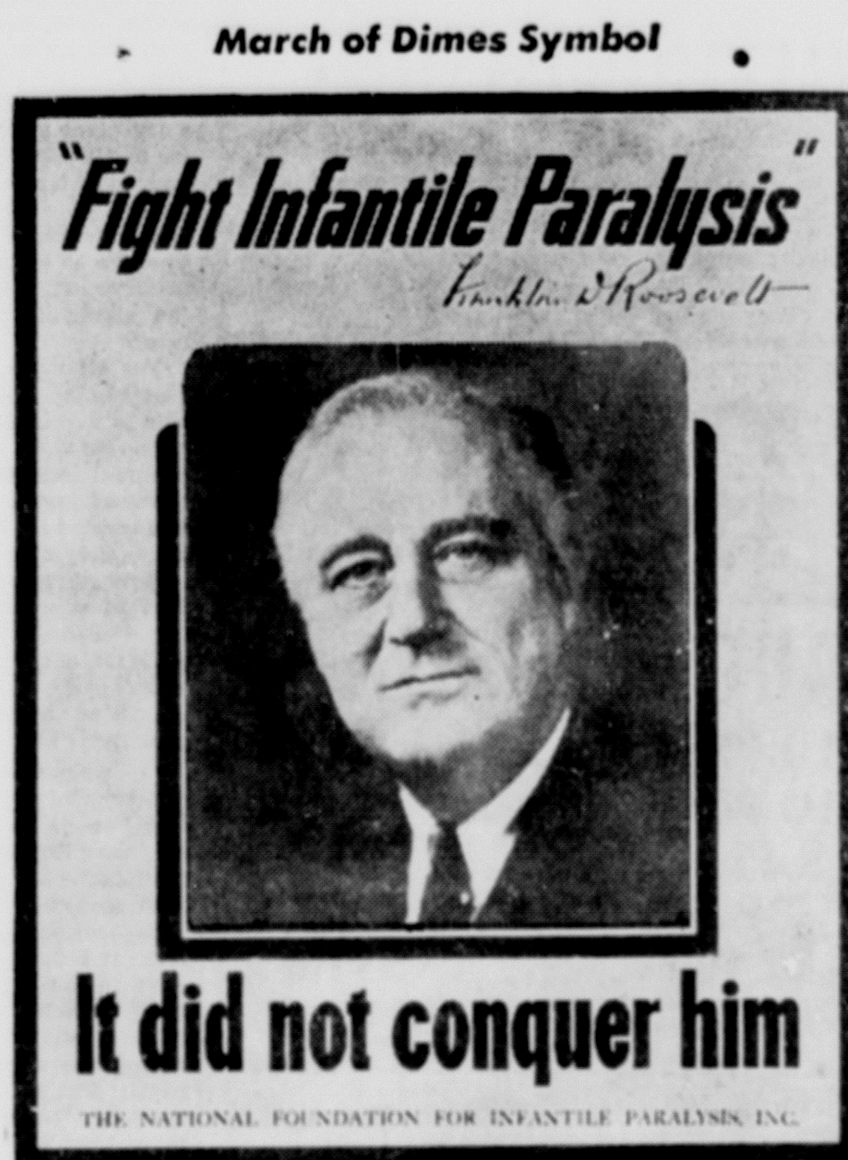
# THE MARCH OF DIMES!

For the first time in thirteen years, the March of Dimes, annual appeal of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, is being held January 14-31 without the living presence of the man who inaugurated the fight against infantile paralysis and became its symbol: our late president, Franklin D. Roosevelt.

The cause for which he fought so valiantly is bequeathed to the American public. The fight is not yet won. We must reinforce our strength and increase our effort until final victory is achieved.

Join the March of Dimes, January 14-31.

**Make Your Contributions in the Convenient Containers in  
Randall County**



For millions of Americans, Franklin D. Roosevelt, who refused to accept defeat from infantile paralysis, symbolized the nation's fight against the Great Crippler organized and directed by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, which the late President founded. The above poster was prepared by the National Foundation for its 1946 March of Dimes, January 14-31.

## Attend the Special Concert of Buffalo Band at West Texas State, January 31

The Buffalo Band will give a special concert at the West Texas State Auditorium on Thursday, January 31.

Admission is free, but a free-will offering will be taken to go to this worthy cause.

Half of your contributions to the March of Dimes remain with your local Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis to be used for special equipment, hospitalization, transportation, and treatment and care of polio patients. The other half goes to the National Foundation for research, education and emergency aid during epidemics.

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## Wonders Ahead In Refrigeration

**Expected to Play Big Part  
In Peacetime Progress  
As It Did in War.**

CHICAGO.—It's difficult to picture a mechanical refrigerator 7,000 times larger than the one in the average American home. Or a "cold room" where you can have 60-below-zero cold or 150-degree heat—even a hail storm, sand storm, wind storm, sleet, fog or jungle humidity—simply by making a few adjustments.

It's equally hard to imagine a one-story plant in the heart of the tropics that's capable of storing 5,000,000 pounds of foodstuffs at just the right degree of cold despite 130-degree heat outside. Perhaps it's easier to imagine an elephant pushing a 2,600-pound refrigerator into position in the middle of Southeast Asia, but not much.

Yet all these things are realities that can be disclosed now that the war is over. They're all a far cry from the first \$100 household mechanical refrigerator that was introduced just 10 years ago this year, and they're all doubly interesting because they may well be forerunners of how refrigeration will play a big part in peacetime progress—bringing civilization into hitherto inaccessible regions, for example, or testing stratosphere planes or aiding in the march of chemistry and physics in such fields as atomic power.

### Helped in War Effort.

Details of some of these unusual installations have been made public by the Refrigeration Equipment Manufacturers association in a 10th anniversary survey showing the part refrigeration played in the war effort, and the part it is destined to have in the peacetime future.

All branches of the armed forces utilized refrigeration in unique ways during the war, the association reports. The army air force operated what has been called the "world's largest refrigerator" at Wright field. It is a complete building with 50,000 cubic feet of "cold space," big enough for an entire bomber fuselage or a full-sized fueling truck and trailer. The refrigerator in your home may have 7 cubic feet—that's average. Windows with eight panes of glass in the Wright field unit helped keep the temperature as low as 95 degrees below zero for all manner of tests on planes built to fly at high altitudes.

The AAF also has a room at Wright field that will manufacture any kind of weather. Two big compressors provide refrigeration. Batteries of sun lamps give the heat. Blowers supply wind velocities matching any on earth. Showerheads create rain storms. Dumping sand into the "wind" provides sandstorms. Water is spurted through specially made nozzles to create a fog. Physical changes in men working in the room are recorded to within one-half of 1 per cent of accuracy before the men themselves feel them. These men, too, can listen to music during inactive periods, and they can talk to persons outside by two-way communications systems.

### Keeps Food Just Right.

"Vital statistics" of the big Southwest Pacific refrigerator, as reported to REMA by the navy, which installed it, are as follows:

It holds 2,500,000 pounds of meat, 2,200,000 pounds of fruits and vegetables and 800,000 pounds of dairy products. Sectional refrigerators—called "reefers"—keep the meat at 10 above zero; the dairy products at 36 above; the fruit and vegetables at 40 above. The entire installation is only 300 yards from the docks and it helped supply a big portion of the Pacific fleet with properly refrigerated foods when they were needed.

Refrigeration was regarded with such importance in the "hot places" in Asia that the army called on elephant-help to transport and install big units so that troops could have proper food. In atomic bomb development, too, refrigeration was important, though its details of use have not been disclosed, according to the Refrigeration Equipment Manufacturers association. In some war industries, temperatures as low as 300 degrees below zero were employed in the manufacture of war materiel.

### Convict Ends Job of

### Lettering New Testament

PHILADELPHIA.—Sydney L. Smith, Media, Pa., serving a 10-to-20 year sentence in Eastern penitentiary, has completed a hand-lettered 292-page copy of the New Testament.

Smith, who has served four and a half years of his sentence, began the work December 28, 1943. It was completed August 24, 1944, and bound a short time ago.

### Ship Circles Globe

### In 81 Days, 16 Hours

LIVERPOOL.—The liner Mauritania docked here after a 28,662-mile round-the-world voyage in 81 days and 16 hours. Capt. R. B. G. Woodliff said it was a new world record.

He also said the liner established another record by making a 13,700-mile trip from Sydney, Australia, to Liverpool in a month and a day.

George Bernard Shaw wrote "Caesar and Cleopatra."

## The Buzzbomb

By JOYCE N. MARTIN

McClure Syndicate—WNU Features.

THE Buzzbomb set down the letter, which had "Saipan, Marianas Islands" written across the top of it, and sank her head in her hands. It sure had its bad moments, being kid sister to a glamorous girl whom a certain marine sergeant in a foxhole in the South Pacific had his heart set on.

"She's what I'm goin' overseas to defend, kid," the sergeant had confided to her with his soft Texas accent, in that last "48" before he shoved off.

"The general would just as soon keep me here, on special duty. But I've asked for a transfer, to get out there where it's goin' on. Sure I'm expendable. But don't you worry, sis. . . . I'll make the grade," he reassured her. "It's just that I want to get it over with that much sooner, so I can come back and settle down in that little dream house of mine with the picket fence around it. And I'm countin' on Diane bein' there in a starchy apron, with a flower in her hair, kissin' the ole man good-by at the front gate every mornin'."

It was strictly a tough assignment. The marine sergeant was a real charmer. And he was in earnest. The Buzzbomb could tell that he was. But Diane just laughed her musical laugh at everything he said. "Oh, you Southerners," she evaded. "You'd talk a person into anything . . . you've all got such a way with you." Then she had put on a victrola record and said lightly: "Let's cut, lambie. No more funny talk tonight."

The Buzzbomb shouldn't have been listening, or even looking in their direction, when it came time for good-bys. But it just worked out that there she was—down at the corner bus stop—when he took Diane in his arms for that last kiss. That did it. The Buzzbomb was on the marine sergeant's side from then on.

The next few weeks passed smoothly, somehow. The Buzzbomb sighed with relief. "Dear Sergeant," she scrawled happily, "I am looking out for your interests. Everything is simply super here at home. No competition so far. Your pal, The Buzzbomb."

Then it happened. It was tall, handsome and predatory and when it smiled it only used its teeth. Its draft board had written across its 4-F card: Asthmatic. Allergy. ragweed.

"For a person suffering from asthma, you certainly play a corking game of tennis," observed The Buzzbomb pointedly one afternoon. "Don't you ever take time out to rest between tennis, badminton and bowling?" Then, two weeks later, "There ain't any ragweed in the navy, you know. None in Iceland or the Aleutians, either. A college man can always get special duty. And with all your ways of selling stocks to elderly widows, you could easily sell War Bonds. . . ."

Diane had broken it up. "Go 'way, Buzzbomb," she said. "Stop being a pest."

That was the night The Buzzbomb decided the emergency demanded that she be unethical enough to peek from behind Diane's bedroom door. It was none too soon. She saw her thoughtfully holding a ring up to the light. It was a blue-white diamond, big as a beet, and must have cost the kind of money no one has except a person who is cleaning up on the war. And the marine corps' pin that she usually wore over her heart was lying, forlorn and neglected, on the dresser.

There was only one thing to do. Besides, wasn't all fair in love and war? The marines must not be let down.

When Diane came back from her tub, humming gaily, she sat down at the dressing table to give her gleaming shoulder-length hair its fifty usual strokes. Then, with a cry, she roused the family from its beds.

"Honest, Sergeant, I hated to be heely-peely," confessed the Buzzbomb in her longest, newsiest letter to date. "But you don't pass up any chance to outsmart the enemy out there. So I used the same tactics here. And they sure did get results!"

"Within an hour Tall, Handsome and Predatory had returned to the scene of the crime. And did he ever blow his top. That ring isn't paid for yet." He got red in the face at Diane. "How could you be so stupid and careless as to lose it?"

"Then Diane grew very white and quiet. 'Stupid, you say? Careless? Yes, I believe you're quite right. I don't know how I could have been so stupid or careless as to lose sight of the best value I ever had. Thanks for putting me straight.' Then she turned into the house and locked the door for the night."

"Hey, psst. This what you're looking for?" I asked Tall, Handsome and Predatory as he strode down the walk to his car. He snatched the ring and roared down the driveway. He hasn't been seen since.

"And, say, Sergeant. Will you please do me a favor? Get busy with the air mail letters right about now. Diane's reading booklets about joining one of the Services. Don't you think she ought to be a marine, just to keep it one hundred per cent in the family, huh?"

The Blue Grass Country is in the central part of Kentucky.

## Marine Recruiter Will Be in Canyon on Thursday

Marine Sgt. Thornton W. Myers will be in Canyon Thursday to interview young men at the postoffice who are interested in joining the Marine Corps.

Applicants may enlist for a period of two, three or four years. Much more so now, than in the past the Marine Corps is interested in obtaining the same high caliber of young men which the state of Texas has given in this war as in the past.

Applicants must be single, between the ages of 17 to 26 inclusive, must be of high moral character, and be of sound condition. The Marine Corps offers to the young men of America, the opportunity to receive a college and high school education. In addition to traveling and seeing the world as Marines have for one hundred and seventy years.

To Ex-Marines who have been discharged from active service from the Marine Corps the Marine Corps offers retention of their former rank, the choice of duty at stations nearest their home, the remainder of their ninety day period, prior to de-enlistment as paid re-enlistment furlough. Young men interested may contact Sergeant Myers at the Post Office Building, Canyon, Texas.

Plural marriages occur so often nowadays that it seems to be a bad to trade one forty-year-old husband for two twenties.

A drunk staggered from the tavern and started walking with one foot in the street and one on the sidewalk. After a block or so, he was accosted by a policeman with: "Hey, you're drunk."

"Thank goodness!" exclaimed the inebriated one, "I thought I was lame."

When a sailor at a navy swim-

ming class refused to dive from a 15 foot platform, the instructor asked: "What would you do if you were that high on a sinking ship?"

"Sir, said the student, 'I'd wait for it to sink about 10 feet more.'"

Maybe we'd better quit trying to find out where the world is going and just do our drundest to hang on for the ride.

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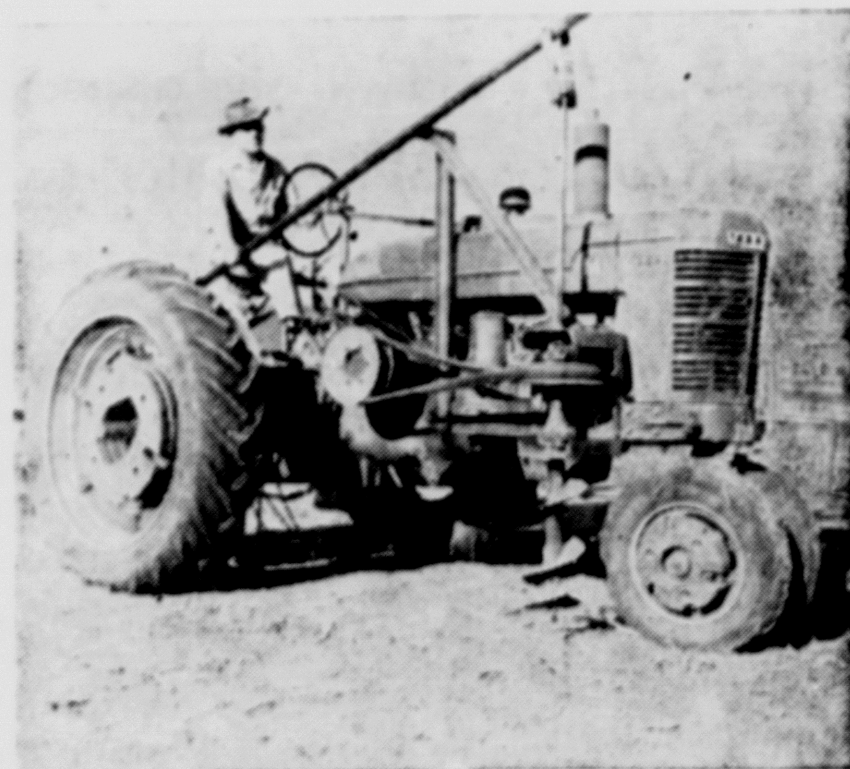
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## Juvenile Crime Is Shown Increasing

Solution of Problem Local Matter, Says FBI.

WASHINGTON. — Despite the measures that have been taken by the private citizen and law enforcement officer alike, the tide of juvenile delinquency continues to rise on our home front. During the first six months of 1945 the FBI found there was a 6.6 per cent increase in arrests of boys and girls under 21 years of age as compared with the same period of 1944.

Also during the first half of this year, persons too young to vote accounted for 21.4 per cent of all arrests and those under 25 were involved in 35.6 per cent of the cases. Seventeen-year-olds continued to account for more arrests than any other age group.

Alarming increases are reflected in the comparison of fingerprint arrest card statistics compiled by the FBI for the first six months of 1944 and 1945. Arrests of boys under 21 increased 23.8 per cent for offenses against the person (homicide, rape and assault), 11.3 per cent for offenses against property and 12.6 per cent for offenses against decency. Arrests of girls under 21 increased 5.1 per cent for offenses against the person and 9.2 per cent for property offenses.

From the FBI's study of the subject, it is clearly evident that the solution to the problem is a local matter. In many communities, churches, schools and civic groups already have taken up the challenge and instituted wholesome programs designed to attract youths to the ways of good citizenship.

It is the American home, however, which holds the ultimate answer. Parental indifference, greed and selfishness can have but one effect on children. No youth should be denied his heritage of a happy home life and training.

The FBI has found that while war conditions have aggravated our nation's juvenile delinquency problem, it is a trend which began in the last years of peace and has pyramided to engulfing magnitude. Further delay in meeting the challenge will prove costly, for the juvenile delinquents of today will be the hardened criminals of tomorrow.

## Father Killed Fleeing Court With Daughter

MEMPHIS, TENN. — C. D. Winston Griffin, 31, died in a hospital 36 hours after he was felled by a deputy's bullets as he sought to flee Chancery court with a young daughter whose custody he had lost to his divorced wife, Mrs. P. E. Flodin.

Griffin was shot twice by Deputy Sheriff Mark Humes after he grabbed his screaming seven-year-old daughter, Mary Jo, and backed into the courthouse corridor with gun in hand.

Griffin, a former war plant worker, had just heard Chancery Judge E. Swepston give his divorced wife custody of Mary Jo and another daughter, five. Police Inspector A. O. Clark said Griffin was shot by Humes after the deputy failed in efforts to kick the gun from Griffin's hands. Humes was absolved of blame.

## Come on, Ladies, No Tax Cut Near, Fur Sellers Say

WASHINGTON. — The fur industry recently advised milady to go ahead and buy that fur coat. Rumors that federal taxes on furs may be cut soon just aren't true, it said.

Treasury officials pointed out that under existing law the present fur tax of 20 per cent will automatically go down to 10 per cent six months after President Truman or congress decides that war is officially over.

The catch is that Mr. Truman has indicated he doesn't intend to issue such a proclamation for a long time.

Industry officials became alarmed after thousands of women canceled orders for coats in expectation of a lower tax.

## Butcher Uses Ads to Lift Culture of His Customers

LISBON FALLS, MAINE.—With no meat to sell, Herman Schultz, a Lisbon Falls butcher, obviously is using his spare time to brush up on his literature.

Proof of his gleanings was disclosed in an ad which ran in the Lisbon Falls Enterprise. Schultz advised his thwarted customers:

"Is this a fast, to keep the larder lean and clean?"—Robert Herrick.

"There is no love sincerer than the love of food."—George Bernard Shaw.

"Hungry rooster don't cackle when he fine a wum."—Uncle Remus.

"Inquire not what's in another's pot."—Old Proverb.

## Many Draft Rejections Are Due to Mental Ills

WASHINGTON. — More than a third of rejections for military service sprang from mental ill or deficiencies, Draft Chief Hershey told congress. This cause figured in 1,767,000 cases of a total of 4,800,000 men turned down, the general testified before a house interstate subcommittee considering a bill to coordinate study, treatment and prevention of mental disorders.

Our average income is about mid-night.

## Expansion of Social Security Advanced For More Workers

Eleven specific recommendations for the expansion and improvement of the old-age and survivors insurance program have been made to Congress in the Tenth Annual Report of the Social Security Board, J. R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo office of the board, reported today.

Heading the list is a recommendation, made repeatedly by the Board, that coverage of the program be expanded to include "all gainful workers, including agricultural and domestic employees, public employees and employees of non-profit organizations, and self-employed persons, including farmers." The statement says:

"The social and economic welfare of the area served by the Amarillo office of the Board will be strengthened whenever action is taken to extend the benefits of the system to the millions that are not covered now.

"The Board has urged this action in the past, and now, in a period of increased job turnover, we are impressed more than ever by its urgency. Aside from the fact that the Board has had appeals from many persons and groups now in noncovered employment for inclusion in the system, we have seen how periods in noncovered employment, such as those spent by millions of our men in the armed service of the country, can affect qualifications for benefits.

"And, I am glad to say, the Board has recommended—incidentally, for the fifth consecutive year—that credit be given to servicemen for their period of service in the armed forces."

Limitation of coverage is recognized by the Board as the most serious continuing shortcoming of old-age and survivors insurance. It is pointed out in the Annual Report of the Board that in an average week of 1944 only about three-fifths of all gainfully employed civilians were in jobs covered by the system, and more than 21,000,000 civilians and between 11,000,000 and 12,000,000 servicemen were excluded from it.

Recommendations of immediate importance to persons already covered by the Act include one for an increase in benefit amounts, particularly for low-paid workers, and one for an increase from \$3,000 to \$3,600 a year in the amount of earnings subject to contribution and counted in computation of benefits.

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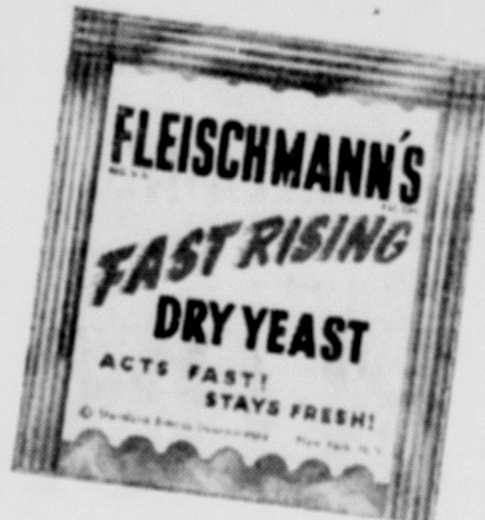


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"Are you taking this course," asked the first aid instructor, "so you'll be able to help if a member of your family is injured?"

"On no," replied the housewife. "I thought this bandaging would come in handy when I started wrapping Christmas packages."

"Say, Dad, what's a liberal?" "It's a politician, my boy, who is awfully liberal with other people's money."

"Why can't a girl catch a ball like a man?"

"Why should she, when a man is bigger and a much easier catch?"

"Oh, what a party last night!" raved Mr. Carrousal. "My head's still in a whirl. I've seen pink elephants, yellow zebras and green bears."

"Oh, nonsense!" snapped Mrs. Carrousal. "You'd be all right if you'd just get out of the baby's playroom."

"Is it possible for a man to make a fool of himself without knowing it?"

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## Palo Duro News

T-Sgt. William F. Schuette arrived at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schuette, Thursday morning.

Jerry Harding spent Sunday afternoon with Marshall Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Albers visited relatives here in Canyon over the week end.

Bruce Albers visited with his father E. H. Albers over the week end. Bruce is to report to Oklahoma City next week end for induction in the Army.

John Albers is attending Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Miss Vance Albers visited in the home of her father, E. H. Albers, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Power visited in the Gus Leseberg home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kamper of San Antonio are visiting this week with Mrs. Alvina Leseberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kamper, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tuck, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Leseberg and family, Wilma Schuette, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Rickwartz and family, and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bower and family were dinner guests in the Mrs. Alvina Leseberg home Thursday night.

## Umbarger Items

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Frische and family spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grabber.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Hoffman and family spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stoker.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Diller and family spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bracht.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lankford were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Aline Lindemann Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jansen were supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Beckman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Koch and family, Frank Schlie, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lefler spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Batenhorst.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Buecker and family spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Beckman.

Those exchanging visits Sunday were: Albert Fischbacher with Albert Hartman, John Gyllenband with Billy Campbell, Jimmie Jansen with Johnny Beckman.

Mr. and Mrs. Norval A. Jones have moved to Canyon from Kansas where he was working in a Helium plant that closed in September. They are renovating the home of her father at 1308 6th Avenue and will make their home there. Mr. Jones will be associated with Mr. Kirkpatrick in the blacksmith business.

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"The House of Good Pictures"

THURSDAY - FRIDAY

"Her Highness and the Bell Boy"

Hedy Lamar — Robert Walker

Also News — Selected Shorts

SATURDAY

Blazing the Western Trail

and

Return of the Durango Kid

Comedies—Serial

SATURDAY MIDNIGHT

SUNDAY — MONDAY

## WEEK END AT THE WALDORF

GINGER ROGERS — WALTER PIDGEON

Also News — Selected Shorts

Sunday Show Continuous from 1:30 p. m.

TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY

George White's Scandals

Joan Davis — Jack Haley

Selected Shorts

THURSDAY - FRIDAY

GUEST WIFE

Claudette Colbert—Don Ameche

Also News — Selected Shorts